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THREE DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

THE BAVARIA OFF CAPE RACE.

Reception of the President's Emancipation Proclamation in England.

A Vessel Loaded with Rebel Stores Sunk in the Clyde.

TROUBLE FOR THE FRENCH IN MEXICO.

Recovery to Garibaldi and his Followers.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS.

CAPE RACE, Monday, Oct. 20.

The steamship *Saxonia*, from Bremen via Southampton on the 8th inst., passed this point on route to New-York at 4½ o'clock yesterday (Sunday) afternoon. She was boarded by the news yacht of the Associated Press and a summary of her news obtained.

The dates per the *Saxonia* are three days later than those already received.

The steamship *Bohemian*, from Quebec, arrived at Liverpool on the 6th inst.

The *Saxonia* experienced heavy westerly gales the entire passage.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The London *Times* says:

"The Emancipation Proclamation of President Lincoln is a political concession to the Abolitionist wing of the Republican Party. When the Union existed, the Constitution gave no right either to the President alone or to the President and Congress combined to abolish Slavery. Emancipation was the thunderbolt placed in President Lincoln's hands to destroy the whole social organization of the South at a blow, is a thunderbolt which he (President Lincoln) has assumed the right to launch but he is without the power to enforce his decree. The North must conquer every square mile of the South before it can make the Proclamation of more effect than mere waste paper. Commercial advices from New-York show that there is a strong impression among the leading merchants that a termination of the war will ultimately occur from a financial crisis, not exclusive to the North."

The iron heavily laden with stores for the Confederates, was run into by another vessel and sunk in the Clyde.

Consols closed firm on the 7th instant, at 94¾ for money, and 94¾@94⅞ for the November account.

FRANCE.

Gen. CHANGARNIER denies that President LINCOLN has offered him the command of the Federal forces.

THE OTHER letters give a different account of the state of affairs in Mexico from what the French papers have published.

JUAREZ is far from giving up the contest, and was preparing for a desperate resistance to the French.

The City of Mexico is strongly fortified, and the road from Orizaba will be defended inch by inch.

The Paris Bourse was much excited, and the Rentes closed on the 7th inst. at 70f., a decline of a ⅛ ⅌ cent.

ITALY.

The King has signed a decree granting an amnesty to all persons concerned in the acts and attempts at insurrection which took place lately in the Southern provinces, with the exception of the deserters from the Royal Army.

The Sicilians have been disarmed in consequence of extensive conspiracies.

PORTUGAL.

The new Queen, the daughter of King VICTOR EMANUEL, had arrived at Lisbon.

SPAIN.

The Spanish "Secesheron" had been torn down in Mexico.

PRUSSIA.

The Crown Prince and Princess were to proceed on a tour through Switzerland and Italy.

The Budget was still under discussion in the Second Chamber of Deputies.

The Hanoverian Government had declined to join in a treaty of commerce with France.

RUSSIA.

BAKOUNIN is banished from the whole of Russia.

TURKEY.

The demolition of the Belgrade barricades has commenced.

CHINA.

The rebels are again moving, with the intention of obstructing the navigation of silk to the exports. Gen. WARD has captured three cities.

A treaty has been concluded between China and Russia.

JAPAN.

All is now quiet, but an outbreak against the party favoring foreigners was imminent at Yeddo. The Government was doing its utmost to maintain order.

The British and French Legations had been increased.

AUSTRALIA.

Ten thousand females sterling more had been remitted for the sufferers in Lancashire, England.

Dry[illegible] disturbances have occurred, involving [illegible] damage.

STURT, the explorer, had returned, after successfully crossing the Australian Continent, and gives a favorable report of the country.

Commercial News by the Bavaria.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

The sales on Monday and Tuesday were 17,000 bales, of which 12,000 were to speculators and exporters. The market was buoyant, with an advance of ¼d.@½d. ⅌ lb. on American, and ¼d.@½d. on Surats.

The Manchester market was firmer but inactive.

LIVERPOOL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour quiet and steady. WHEAT steady. CORN quiet and steady.

LIVERPOOL PROVISION MARKET.

Beef heavy and nominal. PORK dull. BACON has a downward tendency. LARD inactive. TALLOW declining.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE MARKET.

ASHES steady. SUGAR quiet. COFFEE steady. RICE quiet and steady. RosIN dull; Common 20s. SPIRITS TURPENTINE nominal at 120s.@122s. 6d.

LONDON, Tuesday, Oct. 7—Evening.

Cotton heavy. TEA quiet. TALLOW inactive. RICE steady. COFFEE firm.

Erie Three Mortgage Bonds have declined ¼; Erie Fourth Mortgage Bonds also declined; Erie Shares have advanced ¼; Erie Preferred Stock has advanced ¼; Illinois Central Shares advanced 1¼ ⅌ cent., and Illinois Central Shares ¼ ⅌ cent. Pennsylvania Railroad Second Mortgage Bonds advanced ¼ ⅌ cent.

THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

The Withdrawal from Charlestown—Waiting for a Battle—Advance of the Skirmishers—State of Feeling in Charlestown—A Contraband—No Battle in Prospect.

HALLTOWN, Four miles south of HARPER'S FERRY, Friday, Oct. 17—8 P. M., 1862.

Sitting around our camp-fires here at Halltown, curtained by the friendly Night, no one knows at what moment the crack of rifles along the picket line may summon our little force to their feet to meet an attack from the wily, lightning-like JACKSON, or the audacious, impetuous STUART. You doubtless know, by a swifter medium of intelligence than I have here at my command, that the reconnoitering force sent out yesterday, under command of Gen. HANCOCK, was today recalled by orders from headquarters. Every one supposed that it was the purpose of the military authorities to occupy Charlestown *en permanence*, preparatory to a general advance in conjunction with the forces at Shelpsburgh, on the rebels between here and Winchester. Gen. HANCOCK himself thought so, or, at least, knew nothing to the contrary this morning when I saw him. The order to fall back, which came at noon to-day, accordingly took everybody by surprise, and a degree of urgency was used in putting forward into position the various portions of the command that raised anticipations of something important in the wind. Arriving, on our return, at Halltown, half-way between Charlestown and Harper's Ferry (and it is a "town" merely by courtesy—there being exactly three houses in the place) the order came to halt, and the force was immediately formed in line of battle on each side of the road—Gen. CARDWELL'S Brigade, supporting the battery of the Fourth Regulars, under command of Lieut. THOMAS, being deployed on the right of the road, and MEAGHER'S Brigade behind it, in the hollow, where the Martinsburgh and Winchester roads cross each other. Riding over to a piece of woods on the left of the road, I found it occupied by Gen. KIMBALL'S fine Brigade of Western troops, which had been sent out last evening to reinforce us, and had remained here during the night; while immediately in his rear, on a commanding eminence—the highest in the vicinity—was placed Capt. TOMPKINS' Battery of the First Rhode Island Artillery. I was much interested in the position thus taken up, and the anticipations it excited, as the place had been selected by Gen. McCLELLAN himself, with whose suite I rode out to Charlestown yesterday, and who spent a couple of hours here at Halltown, surveying the ground and consulting with Gen. COUCH.

It was about three o'clock this afternoon when the four batteries were placed, the troops drawn up in line of battle, and double lines of pickets thrown out in all directions; and we have been waiting thus ever since in an expectant state. What is the object of the stand? One response has it that the rebels, after our departure from Charlestown, had returned in strong force, and are now advancing the whole of their sight upon us. There is, however, another and more probable explanation. Heavy firing has this afternoon and evening been heard from the neighborhood of Shepherdstown and Leetown. It is known that Gen. HUMPHREY'S command, from FITZ-JOHN PORTER'S Corps, was sent over the Potomac from Sharpsburgh yesterday, and the rapid cannonading doubtless means an engagement between his forces and that of the rebels in the vicinities above indicated. If, therefore, he should be hardly pressed, he knows by courier to fall back in this direction, and we are here, a supporting or a cooperating force, as circumstances may determine. Such, according to the best lights obtainable, is the *rationale* of our present stand.

You have already had by telegraph the chief points in the reconnoissance made yesterday from Harper's Ferry to Charlestown, and the occupation of this town by our troops last night. I shall not repeat what you already know, but shall seek what other details may be of interest. I did not go out with the reconnoitering expedition itself, but joined the Staff of Gen. McCLELLAN, which started from headquarters in Pleasant Valley about 11 A. M. yesterday. Proceeding up to the headquarters of Gen. COUCH, (commanding Gen. SUMNER'S corps,) on Bolivar Heights, a halt of an hour or so was made, and when we started anew, Gen. COUCH joined Gen. McCLELLAN and the party. Proceeding at a rapid trot out to Halltown, the hall and survey of the ground here, which I have already mentioned, was made; and when, retaking the road, we advanced on to Charlestown, it was between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon when we reached that place. Here McCLELLAN and COUCH were joined by FITZ-JOHN PORTER, and the three Major-Generals held a consultation, which made us all forebods important events.

The artillery duel, which took place this side of Charlestown yesterday morning, was all over when we arrived. The rebel cavalry and artillery had been driven before our advancing army, helter-skelter through Charlestown, and we found our whole force drawn up on the southern outskirts of the town. Just as we arrived, a body of skirmishers was being thrown out over the clear fields of about a mile between the outskirts of the town and the woods beyond. The long line advances, twenty feet apart. Each man crouches, head bent warily forward and musket ready for its work. Half-way out, puffs of smoke go up from the edge of the woods beyond; there is the crack of a dozen carbines, and skirting the forest we see, faintly by the naked eye—clearly through the glass—the rebel cavalry pickets moving about. Our skirmishers advance, however; presently they reach the woods, where they are hidden from view—the rebel pickets retreating before them.

It would hardly be correct to say that the quietude of this little Virginia village, (which, like a widow in her weeds still amid the wrack of war retains much of its unusual prettiness,) was disturbed by the arrival of the Union force yesterday; for disquiet has too long been chronic here for such an event to raise more than a very slight ripple of excitement. "To-day, (Oct. 16,) two year," remarked an old fellow sitting on the inn-stoop last night, "to-day, two years, John Brown made his raid on Harper's Ferry, and there has been the devil to pay ever since." "When I see the Confederates going down the street," observed another, "I look to see the Yankees coming up, and when I see the Yankees going down I look to see the Confederates coming up, and if I don't see either I go about my business." Successive tides of Union and rebel invasion have, in fact, swept over the place, until the people have come to expect the one party or the other every day or so, and feel they have neither very much to hope nor very much to fear from either side. Thus situated, they have long ago become educated up to taking with philosophic calm whatever comes along. Confederate scrip, of Uncle Sam's green-backs—blue bellies or grey backs—they receive with equal equanimity. *Tres Tyriusque mihi discrimine* is their motto. Meanwhile, like the needy Knifegrinder, they have no story to tell but one of wounded hopes and blasted prospects. Each party preys upon them and takes their goods and possessions. Do you expect very much "Union sentiment" under such circumstances? I could not find it. The only approach to it that came under my observation was a longing for the good times they had before the war; and the conclave of old curmudgeons I have already mentioned, kept all evening singing a plaintive Jeremiad over those idyllic days when

"Whisky slings were plentiful and mint juleps did abound."

There is not a drop of liquor of any kind in the place. For the rest, there is a universal desire for peace—a deep disgust with the war, and an intense anxiety to have the thing "finished up somehow or other."

Nothing could be more complete than the sweep which the rebels, during their occupancy of this vicinity the past four or five weeks, have made of all the food and forage in the upper region of the Shenandoah Valley. The people of the town have the greatest difficulty in getting even the most ordinary supplies. At the hotel (the only one now open in the place) where I stayed last night, I paid one dollar for my supper, one dollar for my breakfast, and one dollar for hay for my beast. At breakfast and supper we had neither coffee, sugar nor butter—nothing but beef, bread and a vile substance called rye coffee, and some of us cursed that mal-adaptation of means and end that made a villainous decoction out of a good grain that might have made so excellent a *Mattafion*. Not a drop of spirits of any kind, as I have already said, was to be had in the place; not a cigar or a piece of tobacco of any kind. And the result has not been confined to things; the men, too, are all gone. All the male population that did not enlist have been swept into the rebel armies by the two conscriptions, and they are now applying the third, recently passed by the rebel Congress, and providing for the impressment of all between thirty-five and fifty-five. This impending measure excites the deepest disgust, and I believe the people would have been heartily glad of a permanent Union occupation that would have saved them from this fate. As it is, I did not see a middle-aged man in the place—nothing but boys and old men, and the effect of this *blanc* in the male population is very odd indeed.

So much for the whites; now for the blacks. I have mentioned the observation of the old man, to the effect that our entry into Charlestown was on the second anniversary of JOHN BROWN'S raid. The old fellow did not formulate it in very scientific shape; but he had enough of the philosophy of history in him to see that the spark then enkindled and the present conflagration are united, somehow, by subtle bonds of necessary connection. I found a Rhode Island Battery, planted yesterday afternoon, on the very field where JOHN BROWN was hung, and near the locust tree where stood the illustrious gallows that liberated his antique soul to "march on" to immortality. I asked about the President's Emancipation Proclamation. It did not seem to excite the slightest interest. And, indeed, almost all the subjects whom it would effect are already gone—either North or South. I did not see half-a dozen male negroes in the whole town—females only. They, also, will probably be crowded southward as the day of liberation draws nigh.

I can sum up, in a few words, the amount of information as to the position, &c., of the rebel force, obtained through this reconnoissance. The force in the town was very small indeed—a mere picket guard, in fact—consisting of the Richmond Howitzers, (whose Captain, Capt. SMITH, was killed in the artillery engagement yesterday,) and the County (Jefferson) Battery—in all five pieces. Besides this there was a detachment of cavalry, (TRANSYLVANIANS,) numbering in all three or four hundred. Yesterday afternoon, skirmishers were thrown out on the Berryville road, and they ascertained that at or near that place were the Third, Fifth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth Virginia Cavalry, no infantry being found whatever. Last evening also, a squadron of our cavalry, under Capt. RENO went out within five miles of Bunker Hill—driving in the enemy's pickets the whole distance. It was, however, the universal testimony of those of the people in whom trust could be put, that the main body of the Confederate army is still at Bunker Hill, about midway between Martinsburgh and Winchester. Besides this, it was positively ascertained that the railroad between Winchester and Wadesville (nine miles) is all torn up, as is also the track from Charlestown to Winchester, and they were about coming up to carry on the work of destruction between Charlestown and Harper's Ferry when our force arrived. Now that we have gone, they will be able to continue the work at pleasure, and the train of cars which was run up from Harper's Ferry to Charlestown, yesterday evening, is probably the last that will make the transit for some time. This destruction of the railroads bear out the theory I have already presented, and to which I still hold: that there will be no battle north of Winchester, and that the rebel army will retreat down the valley whenever *serious* opposition is brought against them.

With present lights I hardly know how to estimate this reconnoissance—whether we will to-morrow morning return to Harper's Ferry, or whether this spot is destined to be the scene of important operations. The position is splendidly adapted for a pitched battle, and we all admire the location of our batteries, which have a clean, raking sweep down the valleys, all of which argues that they will not have a battle here.

LATER—9 *o'clock P. M.*—As I go to send this by messenger to Harper's Ferry, the impression is that there will be no engagement here—certainly none to-night. The firing off in the direction of Leetown and Shepherdstown, has now wholly ceased, and HUMPHREY'S force seems to have retired back instead of coming this way. The probability therefore, is, that the whole force will to-morrow morning return to Harper's Ferry, the object of the reconnoissance being accomplished, and there being no necessity for our remaining here to cooperate with others from above. Meanwhile, do not overestimate the present reconnoissance, or construe it into the forerunner of an immediate advance, for I assure you it has no such significance.

W. S.

QUIET ALONG THE LINES.

SPECIAL DISPATCH FROM FREDERICK.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Oct. 20.

A special dispatch from Frederick says:

No news along the line.

The case of Dr. MORAN was continued to-day. Six witnesses were examined. The testimony is unfavorable to the character of his exemptions.

SUNDAY SENSATION AT HARRISBURGH

PHILADELPHIA, Monday, Oct. 20.

The Harrisburgh *Patriot and Union* of this morning, says:

"As usual, on Sunday, the city was filled with exciting rumors, yesterday, the most important of which was the crossing of the Potomac River at Hancock by a large rebel force and their repulse by the Union troops with considerable slaughter on both sides.

A dispatch, to this effect, was received by Gov. CURTIN.

At the time of penning this item, however, no dispatches have been received by us confirming the above rumor."

THE WAR ON THE MISSISSIPPI.

Operations against the Guerrillas at Island No. 21, &c.

CAIRO, Monday, Oct. 20.

There is nothing from Commerce to-day.

The officers of the steamer *Pike*, which arrives to-night, report having seen a small band of guerrillas at two different points between Smithland and Caseyville. Two thousand rebels are reported back of the latter place, and are only prevented from taking possession of the town by the presence of two gunboats.

The steamer *Hazel Dell* struck a snag yesterday and sunk on Smithland bar.

The steamer *Eugene*, from Memphis, brought one regiment, with a battery, to Island No. 21, where they landed to punish the rebels, who fired into the steamers *Dickey* and *Continental* on Friday. They have instructions from Gen. SHERMAN to destroy everything in the neighborhood.

Twenty secesh families have been banished from Memphis as a punishment for the guerilla outrages on the river.

RECENT OPERATIONS IN VIRGINIA.

A Cavalry Expedition to Catlet's Station.

Attempt to Capture a Rebel Train on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad.

The Country Beyond Centreville Swarming with Rebel Cavalry.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Oct. 20.

From the TIMES special correspondent at Centreville, we learn that Capt. CONNER, of the Second Virginia Cavalry, left that place on Saturday at noon with sixty men, spending the night at Bristow Station, and reaching a point near Catlett's on Sunday at noon—wishing to capture a train the rebels were running on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad. The party waited till near 4 o'clock, concealed, at which time a small detachment was advanced to the station, driving in the rebel picket guard.

It was soon discovered that the enemy was guarding the train of cars, which was near the station. Capt. CONNER fell back to a piece of woods, to receive the attack he expected the enemy to make; but the latter, after advancing a short distance, retired and our party returned to Centreville, arriving this morning.

The whole country between Centreville and the Rappahannock is swarming with rebel cavalry and scouts, who instantly note and report the slightest movement on the part of our forces.

THE LATE RECONNOISSANCES.

Another Reconnoissance in Force by Gen. Stahl—Gallant Charge by Major Knox into Thoroughfare Gap—A Brief Skirmish—The Enemy in Force at Warrenton—One Hundred Prisoners Captured—Loss of a Supply Train—A Few Shells are Thrown—The Reconnoissance to Leesburgh.

GEN. STAHL'S HEADQUARTERS, CENTREVILLE, Sunday, Oct. 19, 1862.

My last letter to the TIMES, which was permitted to pass the lines, from the best information I can obtain, was dated at Aldie. Letters were written by me and forwarded from Middleburgh, New-Salem and White Plains, but upon returning to this place, I found that the channel of communication had been dammed up by official and special dicta from Major-Gen. SIGEL, prohibiting the forwarding of any letters whatever written by army correspondents, until after the return of Gen. STAHL from the reconnoissance, commenced on Wednesday last. As military law is supreme in these parts, of course all persons necessarily have to submit with as good grace as possible.

To commence anew the record of the last few days, Gen. STAHL started on Wednesday last with a force of cavalry and artillery for the purpose of picking a quarrel with the noted rebel, Gen. STUART, who was known to be at that time moving southward from Leesburgh, and east of the Bull Run range of hills—threatening our advanced post at this place. But few however, seriously anticipated a formidable attack being made, but it was believed that this threatening attitude was assumed to cover other operations under way within the lines of the enemy. Our troops concentrated Wednesday night at Chantilly, and on Thursday morning advanced to Aldie. It was hoped and expected that STUART would make an attack at this point, but for reasons best known to himself, he declined the challenge to battle and fell back—to where our forces were not prepared to follow.

That night, near Aldie, the enemy's vedettes were discovered at various points, and there was some skirmishing with our pickets, and several members of the Loudon cavalry were captured. In one of these affairs the horse of a noted rebel, named RICHARDSON, was shot dead, and RICHARDSON fell with so much violence to the ground that he was taken up for dead, but was found to be only stunned. A number of prisoners were also taken here—principally bushwhackers.

Friday morning Gen. STAHL advanced toward Ashby's Gap,—passing through Middleburgh, Paris and Upperville, driving in the pickets advanced by Gen. HILL'S force—of infantry, cavalry and artillery—which occupies the different passes through the mountain in this vicinity. From Rickett's Cross Roads, five miles west of Middleburgh, Gen. STAHL, at about sunset, Friday evening, took the most direct route for New-Salem. The advance, at this time, was under Col. SACKETT, of the Ninth New-York Cavalry. He arrived at New-Salem late in the afternoon, and at once made a charge through the principal street,—having previously sent sufficient force around the place to guard all the roads leading to it. Here he captured a number of rebel soldiers on picket duty—advanced from Warrenton by the Second North Carolina Cavalry—and a large number of sick soldiers—in all about fifty persons. They were at once paroled.

When Col. SACKETT charged into this town the enemy's picket made a desperate but ineffectual effort to escape. One man, more determined than the rest, did not yield until after his horse had been shot, from under him and he had attempted to escape by taking to the bush. The last word of warning was given him by the nearest soldier, when he threw up his cap and surrendered.

After a brief rest, Gen. STAHL moved to White Plains, where he encamped for the night. A picket was thrown forward to Thoroughfare Gap, and a small force went to Haymarket to look after a train containing supplies for Gen. STAHL'S command. It was found and believed to be safe, and would have been, had the order of Gen. STAHL been carried out to patrol the district between Bull Run and Warrenton on Friday. Unfortunately this order was not obeyed, and the consequence was the loss of the train, the particulars of which will be found in the proper place. The picket returned for duty in the Gap.

Saturday morning early, this picket was fired upon, and a man named JOHN N. BROCK, of the Ninth New-York Cavalry, was seriously wounded in the neck. At about day-break some of the soldiers discovered a horse at a barn near the Gap, with Uncle Samuel's initials upon his left fore-shoulder. They were about to bring him in when three rebel bushwhackers came out of a house near the place, and the foremost of them, with a vulgar oath, said: "Now, you d—d Yankees, we have got you and we will give it to you," and at once the three men fired. Although within a few yards of the objects of their hate, the party escaped without injury, and subsequently returned to the place and recovered the horse.

While the troops were getting ready to march, a man came dashing up to Gen. STAHL, and stated that the supply train at Haymarket had been captured. The report was but too true. It appears that a train of seven wagons—five loaded with forage and two with commissary stores—left Centreville at about 6 o'clock Friday evening, under a guard of thirty-two men commanded by Lieut. BALDWIN, of the Ninth New-York Cavalry. The train reached Haymarket at about 2 o'clock Saturday morning, and was halted in the main road leading through the village. At 6½ o'clock A. M., while the guard was preparing their morning meal, the Second North Carolina Cavalry—numbering about 500 men—charged into the town and captured the train and fifteen of the soldiers and six of the teamsters. It is stated that the officer in command deemed himself so secure from attack that he neglected to throw out a picket, and the consequence was that the guard was entirely taken by surprise. The management of this affair will be unofficially investigated. The cavalry fired one volley as they approached, and then used their sabres. Only three men were wounded—none of them seriously. The rebels remained long enough to hitch the mules to the wagons and then departed—taking the road toward Warrenton. The wagon master escaped capture by a very clever ruse. He had on a light-colored coat and hat, and looked very much like a real grey-back. When the cavalry approached he very coolly tied his horse in front of a house, and, walking in, seated himself as if he was the owner of all the surroundings. The rebel soldiers were deceived, believing him to be a resident of the place, and left him unmolested. As soon as they left the place he rode in to our picket in the Gap.

This unpleasant affair annoyed the Commanding General exceedingly, because it could have been so easily avoided had his orders been obeyed, and was the only drawback to our otherwise entirely successful expedition. Upon learning what had occurred Gen. STAHL promptly sent forward a detachment to capture the train if possible, and moved through the Gap with this whole force.

It appears that the enemy designed occupying this Gap himself to prevent the passage of Gen. STAHL'S command, and there was haste made on both sides to gain the position.

Major KNOX, of the Ninth New-York Cavalry, with thirty men, was sent forward as an advance guard. They had not penetrated the Gap a great distance when the bullets began to fly. A charge was made, and, after a brief skirmish, the enemy skedaddled. The position occupied by Major KNOX'S command while going through this gap was a hazardous one, and the success of gaining the advantage is due mainly to the gallant conduct of Major KNOX. When the men first came under fire they hesitated; but they were at once reassured when their commander dashed forward, and behaved well during the whole time after that they were under fire.

A Captain of the Ninth New-York Cavalry and two men were slightly wounded, and two horses were killed.

A TIMELY CAPTURE.

Thoroughfare Gap is one of the worst places imaginable for a wheeled vehicle to pass through, and it was not a matter of wonder when one of the caissons broke down. Not fifteen minutes after this accident, a rebel caisson, filled with ammunition, was discovered, which supplied a deficiency that otherwise would have been seriously felt.

After the rebels had been dispersed by Major KNOX the rest of the command passed through the Gap without molestation, except an occasional shot fired by some Bushwhacker.

At noon the command rested at Gainsville, and they moved on toward Warrenton, driving the enemy before them. Near Warrenton several of the enemy's pickets were captured. The enemy was found to be in considerable force at Warrenton—five regiments and a battery. They fired a dozen shell at our advance, without damage, when Gen. STAHL, having accomplished the principal object of the reconnoissance, retired and reached Centreville at 1 o'clock this morning. Gen. STAHL endeavored to get the enemy out of town for an engagement, but in this he was unsuccessful; they only being disposed to fight unless having all the advantages of position and strength of force.

Here the wildest rumors prevailed as to the fate of Gen. STAHL'S command, and it was very generally believed that he had been cut off.

During the expedition, there were in all about one hundred prisoners captured, twelve horses, and one caisson. We lost two horses killed.

Strong patrols were sent out yesterday to scour the country. This was rendered necessary from the fact that the rebel pickets come within two miles of this place. At Bristow's Station the patrol discovered a train of cars and a small rebel cavalry force. They will be attended to to-day.

THE RECONNOISSANCE TO LEESBURGH.

At Aldie, on Friday, a force of cavalry under Lieut.-Col. KARGE, First New-Jersey Cavalry, left the main body and passed through Philmont, Snickersville, Mt. Gilead, &c., to Leesburgh. Some rebel pickets were discovered, but no force of the enemy is now near either of the places named. A rebel force was driven in at Stricker's Gap by Capt. HARLEY, of the Ninth New-York, and one company of WERTZ'S Cavalry abandoned Leesburgh a short time before our troops reached that point. Col. KARGE returned this morning, having discharged the duties assigned him to the entire satisfaction of the commanding officer.

Gen. Stahl's Headquarters—Arrival of Reinforcements—Sympathies of the People—An Arrant Secessionist.

HEADQUARTERS OF GEN. STAHL, ALDIE, VA., Thursday, Oct. 17, 1862—2 o'clock, P. M.

The reinforcements, to which reference was made in my last, have arrived, and an advance will be made from this point as soon as the men and horses have had a short rest. Aldie is a little town pleasantly located in a little valley formed by the Bull Run range of hills or mountains, and a spur jutting out from that range. The surrounding country is rolling, interspersed with hill and dale, highly cultivated, and is picturesque in the extreme. Nature and man have both contributed to surround the place with many attractions; but here, as elsewhere, "grim-visaged war" has been felt in all its horrors. A majority of the people openly talk of "our government"—meaning the so-called Confederate concern—as if they were proud of their treason. To me, such talk sounds very much like the musings of a felon the moment before he is to be launched into eternity at the hands of an authorized executioner. Conspicuous among those who thus boast is a Dr. BOYER, an ardent, unprincipled fellow, who talks very glibly of his treason, and without even a blush of shame expresses the amiable wish that all the Union men in the town (for there are a few left) were hanged. While the Union troops are present he is as urbane and polite in his manners as a hired jacquey, but I am told that when all restraint over his conduct is withdrawn, to those who differ with him, he is overbearing and arrogant in the extreme. Here, too resides Mr. DAVIS, who has perhaps suffered as much as any other man in the State for his permanent loyalty in the face of obstacles that would have appalled any man made of less sterner stuff. Not only has his property been destroyed, and himself and family driven from their home—replete with everything necessary to make life pleasant—but he has been personally insulted; and finally, so bitter were the rebels hereabouts in their hatred against him, an armed force of fifty men made an attack upon him in his own house. As every man who is a man will always do, he defended his premises against the large odds against him to the best of his ability. He succeeded in killing one or more of his assailants, and wounding several more. Finally, overpowered by superior numbers, he was dragged forth bleeding from his dwelling, to the yard in front, and there was wantonly stabbed with a bowie knife, and left upon the ground for dead. For six weeks his life hung in the balance. Possessing a strong constitution, he rallied, and is to-day as ardent in behalf of the Union cause as any man could wish, and is now, as he always has been, an invaluable aid in the military movements made in this vicinity. I visited his house to-day. Owing to the most positivity of the rebels, he has been closed from his home for six weeks previous to yesterday. His wife and young children were the only occupants of the house during his absence. Surrounded by a hostile people, their position and his feelings can better be imagined than described. People in the Northern States, who have had no experience of war, cannot conceive of the hardships that the Union people experience.

Since writing the above, I am gratified in being able to state that Dr. BOYER has been ordered under arrest by Gen. STAHL, and is now on his way to Fairfax Courthouse.

TERROR IN VIRGINIA.

A Slave Insurrection Feared in Culpepper—Seventeen Negroes Reported to be Hung, &c.

The Washington *Republican*, of yesterday, says:

"A refugee who came into Gen. SIGEL'S head-quarters, from Amissville, Culpepper County, Va., reports that there is the greatest consternation being manifestable among the whites in that section in consequence of an apprehended negro revolt.

Seventeen negroes, most of them free, had been hung; copies of late Northern newspapers having been found upon them containing President LINCOLN'S proclamation to liberate the slaves.

The terror of the whites is reported to be beyond description.

It is said that the negroes of the different counties around Culpepper are all engaged in a conspiracy for a general insurrection."

The following dispatch from the Washington correspondent of the TIMES is confirmatory of the above:

"A gentleman who left Amissville, Culpepper County, Virginia, on last Wednesday, says that rebel conscripts are pouring constantly into Winchester. Seventeen negroes were hung there on the 10th inst., charged with organizing an insurrection against the whites. Copies of the Washington *National Republican*, containing the President's Proclamation of Emancipation were found among them. The conspiracy, our informant says, is supposed to extend throughout several counties, and the greatest excitement and fear prevails of an outbreak among the negroes. The inhabitants of the counties where the insubordination exists, threaten to resist the conscription not on the plea of self-defence, i. e. to protect themselves against the negroes. Two-thirds of the slaves in Virginia have already heard of President LINCOLN'S proclamation, and know that they are free, and thinks that should the rebel army retreat from its present position, another NAT. TURNER rebellion would occur in Eastern and Central Virginia.

THE WAR IN ARKANSAS.

Gen. Schofield's Headquarters at Elkhorn Tavern—The Enemy Flying to the Boston Mountains.

ST. LOUIS, Monday, Oct. 20.

Gen. SCHOFIELD, with his advance, has reached Elkhorn Tavern, in Arkansas, and established his headquarters there.

Telegraphic communication is completed from Gen. CURTIS' headquarters to Elkhorn Tavern.

Gen. SCHOFIELD sends the intelligence that the enemy are making for the Boston Mountains.

FROM FORTRESS MONROE.

Items of News from the Petersburgh and Richmond Papers.

FORTRESS MONROE, Saturday, Oct. 18.

One hundred and fifty recruits arrived on the Baltimore boat this morning. They are for several different regiments in this vicinity. The same boat also brought down 294 rebel prisoners from Fort McHenry, who were taken at South Mountain and Antietam. They came in charge of A. H. LUNDY, of the Eighteenth Connecticut Regiment. The prisoners belong in Virginia and Louisiana, and left here for Aiken's Landing at 12 o'clock on the steamboat *New-York*.

All was quiet in Suffolk this morning.

FORTRESS MONROE, Sunday, Oct. 19.

The *John A. Warner*, (flag of truce,) from Aiken's Landing, arrived last evening just before the Baltimore boat left. Five hundred and sixty Union prisoners came down in charge of Maj. R. W. SMITH, of the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Pennsylvania. They were delayed nearly one day by running aground above City Point.

This morning the Baltimore boat brought eighty-six rebel prisoners from Fort McHenry. The flag-of-truce boat *Metamora*, left to-day to convey them to Aiken's Landing. They are privates and mostly wounded.

The storm has entirely subsided, and the fleet which had taken shelter in this harbor, left at an early hour this morning.

The Petersburgh *Express*, of Oct. 18, says:

Two thousand Yankee prisoners are daily expected to arrive in Petersburgh, for the North.

Wild geese and wild ducks are very plenty on the James River, but there are no sportsmen to shoot them.

Wheat has declined considerably, being now held at $2 75 per bushel.

We fear much trouble and vast suffering from the scarcity of coal.

SERGEANT CONNOR, a member of the Fifty-third New-York Regiment, captured near the Blackwater, was brought here yesterday and lodged in jail."

The Richmond *Dispatch*, of Oct. 18, says:

"We infer that the Federals will soon make a desperate effort to force their way past Drewry's Bluff. Forewarned, let us be forearmed.

A battle occurred in Perryville on the 14th inst., which Kentucky will mourn for many years. Federal loss heavy. PARSONS says it was a drawn battle. The rebel forces fell back six miles.

Wm. T. SHOEMAKER, Geo. Welch, Peter H. Mills and Charles S. Biker, members of Company A, First Maryland Cavalry, a Yankee organization, were received at the Confederate prison yesterday, to be tried for murder committed in the Valley of Virginia.

Forty-three deserters came down under a flag of truce yesterday, from Longstreet's corps, to their respective regiments near Winchester, Va."

The Richmond *Examiner* of the 17th says:

"The good people of Charleston, S. C., have had a celebration in their city, baptizing a marine ram or ladies' gunboat built there.

As Congress has failed to make any enactments in regard to martial law, it follows that it has no longer any existence in this Confederacy, and any attempts to continue martial law in any form or disguise is in derogation of the law-making power of Congress and in defiance of the Constitution.

Our Southern Confederacy is sadly afflicted with dishonest Postmasters, especially in North Carolina. The cause of this complaint is the non-receipt of subscriptions said to be forwarded by mail to newspapers."

The *Examiner*, of the 17th, claims the victory at the battle of Perryville. It says the Federal loss in killed, wounded and captured was over twenty thousand. The Confederate loss was five thousand.

In the Mayor's Court at Richmond, Oct. 16, JAMES BRAWNER was charged with buying 3170 worth of bacon, butter and eggs to sell at his store; the facts being established, the butter and eggs were confiscated. In the same Court J. CRAWFORD had twenty-five dozen eggs confiscated, and E. J. TALLIAFERRO was fined ten dollars for riding a horse in the street faster than six miles an hour.

"The Varieties Theatre to-night," says the *Examiner*, "gives a benefit for the sufferers of Wilmington, North Carolina."

The Pirate Alabama.

BOSTON, Monday, Oct. 20.

The Portuguese brig *Acaso* has been chartered at Fayal by the American Consul, to proceed to Florida and take the *Alabama's* released prisoners to Boston.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

[OFFICIAL.]

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION—MONDAY, Oct. 20, 1862. } 1 o'clock P. M.

Present—John T. Henry, Esq., President, in the Chair; and Aldermen Walsh, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley, and Genet.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

MESSAGE FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The Private Secretary of His Honor the Mayor was announced by the Sergeant-at-Arms.

When the following message was received and presented by the Messenger:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, Oct. 20, 1862.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: I do hereby nominate D. Randolph Martin, Esq., for Street Commissioner.

GEORGE OPDYKE, Mayor.

Alderman Dayton moved that the nomination of D. Randolph Martin, for Street Commissioner, be confirmed.

Which was lost on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Hall, Brady, Chipp, Dayton—4.

Negative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Reed, Mitchell, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—10.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Mitchell—

Resolved, That the Election Poll of the Eighth District, for the Seventh Ward, be held at number fifty-seven Montgomery-street, instead of number sixty-four Montgomery-street.

Which was adopted.

By Alderman Walsh—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue his warrant for the sum of seventy-five dollars, in favor of Messrs. Robert Garnable, Henry Jones and Lyman N. Jones, Inspectors, to defray the necessary expense attendant upon the election for an Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department, held October fourteenth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Farley—

Resolved, That the salary of the Register of Water Rents be increased to the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and the salary of the Deputy Register to the sum of two thousand dollars per annum.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was received from the Comptroller transmitting a statement of Treasury balance October twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

Which was received and ordered on file.

REPORTS.

The Committee on Fire Department presented a report concurring with the Board of Councilmen, in favor of directing the Comptroller to advertise for proposals for the purchase of a lot of ground within the following boundary, viz.: Margin and Lewis streets, and Grand and Delancy street, the same to be used as a location for Hose Company number Thirteen.

Which was laid over.

NOTICES.

Alderman Boole moved that the Committee on Appropriations be discharged from the further consideration of petition of Madison-avenue Baptist Church, for permission of.

Which was carried.

Alderman Boole moved that the same be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was carried.

Alderman Frear moved that the Committee on Fire Department be discharged from the further consideration of resolutions from the Board of Councilmen that the Street Commissioner be directed to advertise for proposals forthwith to rebuild the house now occupied by Hook and Ladder Company number Eight.

Which was carried.

Alderman Frear moved to amend said resolution by striking therefrom the word "forthwith."

Alderman Allen moved that the resolutions lay over.

Which was carried.

REPORTS RESUMED.

The Committee on Streets presented a report in favor of concurring with the Board of Councilmen in adopting resolution that a crosswalk be laid along Jackson-street, from each side of Jackson-street, to the ferry; also, that one be laid across Jackson-street to the ferry, and one from the ferry to south side of Jackson-square, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Board, and that the same be paid for out of the Jackson-street fund.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Roads presented a report in favor of adopting resolution that the curb and gutter stones be set in Eighth-avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Eighty-second street, and the sidewalks be flagged four feet wide, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Public Health presented a report in favor of adopting resolution that the vacant lots in block bounded by Madison-avenue and Fourth-avenue, Thirty-second and Forty-second streets, be fenced in, and the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Public Health presented a report in favor of adopting resolution that the vacant lots on the east side of Lexington-avenue, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, and also on the north side of Thirty-sixth-street, between Lexington and Third avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

PAPERS HERETOFORE LAID OVER.

Resolution, that Nineteenth-street, from Tenth to Twelfth avenues, be regulated and graded, and curb and gutter stones be set, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—14.

Resolution, that Nineteenth-street, from Tenth to Twelfth avenues, be paved with cobble-stone pavement, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Reed, Chipp, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—14.

Resolution, that the Street Commissioner be directed to advertise for proposals, and contract for the construction of a pier of the usual dimensions, at the foot of Thirty-eighth-street, North River.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Fromont, Genet—12.

Resolutions from the Board of Councilmen that the carriage-way of Sixty-first-street, between the Second and Third avenues, be repaired, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Department.

Which was concurred in by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Farley—13.

Alderman Boole called up the resolution of the Board of Councilmen, that the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars be appropriated to defray the expenses incurred in the removal of Brigadier-General Michael Corcoran and Captain John Downey, and that the Comptroller be directed to draw his warrant in favor of the parties whose bills are hereby submitted, and charge the same to its appropriate account; said bills to be endorsed correct "by order of the Committee on National Affairs of the Common Council.

While the bills were being read,

Alderman Walsh moved that the further reading be dispensed with.

Which was carried.

And the same was lost for want of a constitutional vote, as follows, viz.:

Which was concurred in by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Brady, Reed, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Farley—12.

Negative—Aldermen Hall, Chipp, Fromont, Genet—4.

Alderman Boole moved that the foregoing vote be reconsidered.

Which was carried.

Alderman Dayton moved that the whole subject be referred to the Committee on National Affairs, with instructions to report the amount actually expended by the Committee.

Which was lost.

Alderman Boole moved a concurrence with the Board of Councilmen in adopting the resolution.

Which was carried on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Brady, Reed, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—13.

Negative—Aldermen Hall, Chipp—2.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Offices of Board of Councilmen, with resolution that the Comptroller be directed to draw his warrant in favor of James Donohoe, for the sum of ten dollars, for services rendered as per accompanying bills and affidavit relative thereto; such amount to be charged to the appropriation for Lands and Places.

Which was adopted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Reed, Chipp, Dayton, Jeremiah, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Farley—11.

Report of Committee on Streets in favor of adopting resolution that Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, from Union-square to the First-avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, half of the expense thereof to be paid by the property owners, and half by the City, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Reed, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—12.

Report of Committee on Roads of Board of Councilmen, with resolution that the Street Commissioner be directed to cause One Hundred and Tenth-street, from Bloomingdale Road to Tenth-avenue, to be macadamized.

Which was concurred in by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Farley—14.

Report of Committee on Roads of Board of Councilmen of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, with resolution that Fifty-eighth-street, between Lexington and Third avenues, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Farley—14.

Report of Committee on Roads of Board of Councilmen, with resolution that the Street Commissioner be directed to reset curb and gutter stones in Fifty-second-street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was concurred in by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—13.

Resolution, that Ninetieth-street, from Fifth to Sixth avenues, be regulated and graded, and curb and pavement, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was adopted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—14.

Report of Committee on Belgian pavement, with resolution of Board of Aldermen, that the Croton Aqueduct Board be directed to pave East Thirty-ninth-street, from the Fourth-avenue to Madison-avenue, with trap-block pavement, the property owners to pay half of the expenses, and the City to pay the remaining half, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

[By Board of Councilmen, resolution and ordinance amended by striking out the provision that the City bear any portion of the expense, and as amended be adopted.]

Which was concurred in by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—13.

Report of Committee on Belgian pavement, with resolution that Fortieth-street, from the Ninth to the Fourth avenues, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Croton Board, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted, the property owners to pay half the expense thereof, and the City the remaining half.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Croton Aqueduct Department, with resolution that Thirty-fourth-street, from Fourth to Lexington avenues, be paved with Belgian pavement, the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property adjacent thereto.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Donations and Charities, with resolution that the sum of one thousand dollars be donated to the Northern Dispensary, and the Comptroller directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Treasurer of the Northeastern Dispensary for the above amount, and charge the same to the amount of donations.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Donations and Charities, with resolution that the sum of four hundred and ninety dollars and eighty-six cents be donated to the Church of St. Boniface, and the Comptroller directed to draw his warrant in favor of Peter K. Knapp for the abovenamed amount, for the purpose of canceling assessments against said Church property for building a sewer in Second-avenue.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Belgian pavement with resolution that Thirty-ninth-street, from Fifth to Sixth avenues, be paved with Belgian pavement, the owners of property on the line of said street to pay half the cost thereof, and the City the remainder.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Sewers, with resolution that a sewer, with the necessary receiving basin and culvert, be built in Forty-seventh-street, from the easterly side of Eleventh-avenue to the Hudson River, under the direction of the Croton Aqueduct Department, and that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

Which was laid over.

Resolution that the Street Commissioner be directed to place a lamp in Forty-seventh-street, on northerly side of said street, about two hundred and fifty feet west of the Ninth-avenue, forthwith.

Which was concurred in.

MOTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Allen moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of taking up resolution that the Street Commissioner be directed to advertise for proposals forthwith to rebuild the house now occupied by Hook and Ladder Company number eight, (laid over at the present meeting.)

Which was carried on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Hall, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—10.

Negative—Aldermen Walsh, Brady, Reed—3.

Alderman Walsh moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

Which was lost on a division, viz:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, Brady, Dayton, Frear—4.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Hall, Reed, Mitchell, Jeremiah, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—10.

Alderman Walsh moved that the resolution be amended by striking therefrom the word "forthwith."

Which was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, Reed, Dayton—3.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Hall, Brady, Chipp, Mitchell, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Fromont, Farley—12.

Alderman Walsh moved that the resolution lay over.

Alderman Allen moved as an amendment that the resolution be concurred in.

Which was carried on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Walsh, The President, Hall, Brady, Reed, Chipp, Mitchell, Dayton, Jeremiah, Frear, Boole, Allen, Ottiwell, Farley—14.

Negative—Alderman Fromont—1.

PAPERS FROM BOARD OF COUNCILMEN RESUMED.

Resolution that the Comptroller be directed to draw his warrant in favor of Henry Wilson, for the expense incurred in the burial of Acting Colonel A. Arndt, Captain John Feeney, and Lieutenant John J. Gears, the bills for said expenses to be indorsed by the Committee on National Affairs.

Which was laid over.

Resolution that the Croton Aqueduct Board be directed to have the carriage-way of Fifty-first-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, repaired forthwith.

Which was referred to Committee on Roads.

Report of Committee on Fire Department, with resolution that the Street Commissioner be directed to have the basement of hose Company Number One fitted up, at an expense not to exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars.

Which was referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Report of Committee on Streets, with resolution that the curb and gutter stones be set and reset and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the middle of the same, where not already done, in Fifty-eighth-street, from Avenue A to the First-avenue, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to Committee on Roads.

Resolution of Board of Aldermen, that the provisions of the ordinance for the payment of a bounty of fifty dollars to each volunteer from the City of New-York, be and the same is hereby extended so as to include all enlistments up to the time when the draft shall commence; provided, however, that all bounties shall cease from and after the expenditure of the amount appropriated by said ordinance.

(By the Board of Councilmen, amended by inserting after the word "volunteers," the words "for three years or the war," and also, by adding at the end of the resolution the words following, to wit:

"Provided further, that volunteers who enlist for nine months shall be entitled to twenty-five dollars.")

Which was concurred in.

Preamble, reciting that the recent fire at number two hundred and seventy-nine Mott-street, on the night of September twenty-two, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, would have involved a great loss of life and property but for the timely aid of Mr. John Mallory, a member of Hook and Ladder Company number Eighteen, who, by personal exertions, saved the lives of three persons at the risk of his own, with resolution that a Special Committee of three be appointed to procure and present to Mr. John McCauley a suitable testimonial, as a token of respect for his self-sacrificing exertions as a member of the Volunteer Fire Department of the City of New-York, and that the sum of two hundred dollars be appropriated therefor.

(By Board of Councilmen adopted, and Councilmen Desmond, Snyder and Healy appointed such Committee on the part of the Board of Councilmen.)

Which was laid over.

MOTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Ottiwell moved that when the Board adjourn, it do so to meet on to-morrow (Tuesday, the twenty-first instant) at one o'clock, P. M.

Which was carried.

PAPERS FROM BOARD OF COUNCILMEN RESUMED.

Resolution, that (if the Board of Aldermen concur) the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated for the purchase of a sword, said sum, and belt, to be presented to Captain John Downey, of the First Regiment of Fire Zouaves, who has been recently released from the prison at Richmond, after an incarceration of thirteen months.

(By Board of Councilmen, ordered that a Special Committee of three from each Board be appointed to carry such resolution into effect, and Councilmen Healy, Keech and Brice appointed such Committee on the part of the Board of Councilmen.)

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Roads, with resolution that curb and gutter stones be set and sidewalks flagged a space of four feet wide in Eighty-fourth-street, between Eighth-avenue and Broadway, under the direction of the Street Commissioner, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to Committee on Roads.

Report of Committee on Roads, with resolution of Board of Aldermen, that the sidewalks of Seventy-second-street between Fifth-avenue and East River, be made thirty feet wide, and that the owners of property thereon be granted permission to install Street Stock feet in width of sidewalks so widened for resaft-yards, similar to the regulation of portions of the Fifth-avenue, Thirty-fourth, Twenty-third and Seventy-ninth streets, the Corporation reserving the right to remove said permission, when, in their opinion, the necessities of the City may require it.

(By Board of Councilmen, [illegible] the Street Commissioner, under the direction of the Street Commissioner," and as amended adopted.)

Which was concurred in.

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[illegible] and looking also the Bank [illegible] at the close of the week, the following is the general comparison with the previous week, and also with the movement this time last month:

	Oct. 18.	Oct. 11.	Oct. 20.	Sept. 20.
Capital	$60,000,000	$60,000,000	$60,000,000	$60,000,000
Loans	151,000,000	172,000,000	166,000,000	160,000,000
Specie	22,000,000	22,750,000	30,000,000	30,000,000
Circulation	2,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000
Gross Deposits	140,000,000	150,000,000	150,000,000	150,000,000
Exchanges	20,000,000	20,000,000	20,000,000	20,000,000
Transactions	120,000,000	120,000,000	120,000,000	120,000,000
Gov'ment Deposits	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000	4,000,000
Due to Banks	20,000,000	20,000,000	20,000,000	20,000,000
Due from Banks	20,000,000	20,000,000	20,000,000	20,000,000
Specie in Sub-Treasury	6,000,000	6,000,000	6,000,000	6,000,000

The Bank return shows another considerable increase in Loans and Discounts, and a further gain on the line of Deposits. The change in the Specie average is about half a million lower than the previous statement. The market for Money is easy at 4@5 ⅌ cent to the Stock Exchange. There is very little Merchant paper offering outside of Bank. The rates for strictly first class names are 6@7 ⅌ cent. as in date. The Customs Duties to-day are $176,000. The United States Notes for Custom-house duties fluctuated from 124½ as on Saturday, down to 121½ ⅌ cent., influenced by the decline in Gold. At the close this afternoon the quotation returned to 122½@¾ ⅌ cent. The Exchange on London fell to 140½@141 ⅌ cent.

Some intimations having been thrown out that the Trust Companies have participated in the recent speculation in Gold, by lending Currency upon it, we find on inquiry that the old New-York Life and Trust Company have at no time, since the suspension of Specie Payments, lent money upon Gold, or in any way countenanced the speculation in it even to the extent of receiving special deposits. The United States Trust Company have made some loans upon it at par; but we do not understand the officers of the Company at present to encourage the operation.

The price of Gold opened this morning as it closed on Saturday, 129½@130; sales at 130 ⅌ cent. before the Stock Board met. At the Board the dealings began at 129¾ and ran down to 128¾ ⅌ cent. Soon after the adjournment of the morning session the price fell on the street to 128@127¾ ⅌ cent., and later in the forenoon 127 ⅌ cent. was quoted, and at the Second Board $120,000 sold at that figure. The subsequent sales were at 127¼@127½ ⅌ cent., closing at 127½ ⅌ cent.

The Share Market was quite feverish through the early part of the day, the course of the speculative dealings being to lower figures. At the Second Board the decline became more apparent and general, though said to be confined mainly to offers to sell on time options. A moderate amount of only cash business was passed, and after the brokers adjourned to the Street the demand improved and carried up prices on Erie and some of the Western ¼@1 ⅌ cent. New-York Central and Harlem were also firmer than the lowest sales, and the general feeling at the very close was one of firmness; the offerings of Cash Stocks being limited. In United States Securities the business of the day was unimportant; prices steady. Missouri and Tennessee Stocks weaker. The following are about the latest quotations as compared with Saturday afternoon:

	Sat.	Mon.		Sat.	Mon.
N. Y. Central	96¾	96	Galena	84¾	84¼
Erie	39¾	39¼	Toledo	47¾	48¼
Erie Preferred	66¾	67¾	Michigan Southern	31¾	30¾
Hudson River	66¾	67¾	Missouri	54	53
Harlem	32¾	32¾	Tennessee	54¾	53¾
Mich. Central	67¼	66¾	U. S. 6s, 1874	102¾	102
Mich. Southern	32¾	31¾	U. S. 6s, 1881	106¾	106
Mich. Guaranteed	31¾	30¾	U. S. Mos. C. H.	125¾	125¼
Illinois Cen.	84¾	83¾	Treas. 7.30	106¾	106¼
Clev. and Pitts.	33¾	33¾	Bills on Lond.	142¾	141
Pacific Mail	125¾	125	Gold	129¾	127¼

The following are the bids made to-day for the City Bank Shares:

Commerce	82	Metropolitan	104¾
Mercantile	110	Nassau	101
Leather Manufacturers	102¾	Shoe and Leather	100¼
Chatham	98	Corn Exchange	101¾
Bank of the Republic	98	Continental	82¾
Bank of N. America	102¾	Commonwealth	87
Hanover	94	Importers' & Traders'	100
Irving	70		

And the following for the Railway Mortgages, the market in the main being easier than on Saturday:

N. Y. Cent. 7s	109	Chi. & N. W. s. f.	100
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '64	104	Chi. & N. W. Int. Eds.	92
N. Y. Cen. 7s, conv.	78 113¾	Chi. & N. W. 1st s. f.	80
Erie third s. '64	102¾	Chi. & N. W. 1st Ext.	80¾
Erie fourths, '80	100¾	Chi. & N. W. sinking f.	82
Erie fifths, '87	97¾	Rock. & Ill. 1st mortgage	107
Hudson River s. f.	114	Lack. & W. Bonds	100
Hudson seconds, s. f. '96	110	Tol. & Wab. 1st m.	99
Hudson thirds, '75	103¾	Tol. & Wab. seconds	80
Hudson Conv. '77	97	Tol. & Wab. Int. Eds.	87
Harlem 7s, '66-72	111	Mil. & P. du Chien 1st m.	102¾
Harlem seconds, '91	105	Gal. & Chi. first m.	108¾
Harlem thirds, '98	99	Gal. & Chi. late extd.	107
Mich. C. 5 ⅌ c. '62-72	112	Gal. & Chi. seconds	100
Mich. C. s. f. ⅌ c. '62-72	115	Chi. & Ric. 1. first m.	100
Mich. S. 7s, '69	107¾	Clev. & Tol. s. f.	103¾
Ill. Ind., Gosben Line	102	Pitts. Ft. W. & Chi. 1st m.	104
M. & A. N. L. s. f. ⅌ c.	102¾	Pitts. Ft. W. & Chi. 2d m.	94¾
Panama R. R. Bonds	115	Pitts. Ft. W. & Chi. 3d m.	77¾
Ill. Cent. ⅌ c.	105¾	Clev. & Pitts. first m.	101
St. L., A. & T. H. first m.	93	T. Haute Income	49¾
N. M. & A. cons. Pref.	61¾		

The earnings of the Toledo & Wabash Railroad for the second week in October were:

	1862.	1861.
Passengers	$5,320 50	$4,285 45
Freight	30,742 15	30,908 56
Total	$36,187 15	$35,193 91
Increase		$1,007 16

The earnings of the Galena & Chicago Railroad for the second week in October were:

1861		$93,221 00
1862		44,346 00
Decrease		$48,174 00

The earnings of the Chicago & Rock Island Railroad for the second week in October were:

1861		$34,056 00
1862		33,653 00
Decrease		$403 00

The earnings of the Michigan Southern Railroad for the second week in October were:

1861		$65,420 00
1862		68,852 00
Increase		$3,432 00

It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, that the Commissioners have called a meeting to be held at Chicago on the 19th of November next, for the election of Directors of the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company.

Nearly three years ago this property passed into the hands of JAMES ROSS, Esq., as Receiver. At that time its condition was that of exhaustion. Its bridges were unsafe, its track out of repair, an army of clamorous creditors existed along the whole route, and private lines existed to the amount of upward of $700,000. Under the judicious management of Mr. ROSS, these have been extinguished by the payment of cash or bonds; the old bridges for the most part have been superseded by new structures of the most substantial character, about eighty miles, or more than one-third of its track ballasted with gravel, and twenty-three new locomotives and over 400 cars renewed, or added to the equipment, at a cost of nearly $700,000, which has been paid out of the net earnings of the road; and it is now among the most important and popular thoroughfares centering in Chicago.

The new corporation will represent the following issues of bonds and stocks:

First Mortgage Preferred Sinking Fund Bonds, 7 ⅌ cent.	$800,000
First Mortgage, 7 ⅌ cent.	2,100,000
Income Bonds, 7 ⅌ cent.	1,000,000
Preferred 7 ⅌ cent. Stock	2,300,000
Common Stock	1,700,000
Total	$7,900,000

The Commissioners named in the new act of incorporation met at Chicago on the 16th inst., and elected JAMES ROSS, President, and JOSEPH PRICE, Secretary.

The day's business at the office of the Assistant Treasurer was as follows: Receipts, $473,467 76, including for customs, $178,000; Payments, $615,926 23; Balance, $8,207,378 86.

BANK STATEMENTS.

WEEKLY AVERAGES OF THE NEW-YORK CITY BANKS.

Banks.	Loans. Oct. 18.	Loans. Oct. 11.	Specie. Oct. 18.	Specie. Oct. 11.
Bk. of New-York	5,600,000	5,541,100	2,[illegible]	2,172,[illegible]
Manhattan Co.	6,455,000	6,186,700	2,321,000	2,268,700
Merchants' Bank	3,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Mechanics' Bank	3,007,000	4,001,000	609,000	600,000
Union Bank	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Bank of America	11,000,000	11,000,000	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
Phenix Bank	3,161,000	3,626,000	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
City Bank	4,928,000	5,004,000	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Tradesmen's Bank	3,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Mechanics' Bank	3,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Bank of Commerce	14,000,000	13,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000
Broadway Bank	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Ocean Bank	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Mercantile Bank	3,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Pacific Bank	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Bank of Republic	5,[illegible]	5,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Chatham Bank	4,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
People's Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bank of N. America	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hanover Bank	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Irving Bank	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Metropolitan Bk.	10,[illegible]	10,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Citizens' Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nassau Bank	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Market Bank	3,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Nicholas Bank	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shoe & Leath. Bk.	3,[illegible]	3,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn Exch. Bank	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Continental Bank	4,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bk. of Commw'lth	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oriental Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marine Bank	1,746,727	1,700,613	340,911	304,027
Atlantic Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Imp. & Trad's Bk.	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Park Bank	10,[illegible]	9,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	4,[illegible]
Mech. Bk'g Ass'n.	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grocers' Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North River Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
East River Bank	[illegible]	377,719	28,730	25,902
Manuf. & Mer. Bk.	1,501,979	1,454,905	124,433	127,472
N. Y. Dry Dock Co.	613,017	644,340	107,000	106,847
N. Y. Exch. Bank	449,067	452,985	47,942	48,761
Bull's Head Bank	340,000	340,000	30,900	30,900
N. Y. County Bank	375,162	360,634	52,027	53,008
Total	179,[illegible]	180,[illegible]	32,749,956	32,[illegible]
Increase		$2,537,476	Decrease	$[illegible]

Banks.	Circulation. Oct. 18.	Circulation. Oct. 11.	Deposits. Oct. 18.	Deposits. Oct. 11.
Bk. of New-York	477,673	479,720	6,972,862	6,236,[illegible]
Manhattan Co.	19,437	19,609	6,972,907	7,167,423
Merchants' Bank	228,677	229,229	6,778,836	7,465,969
Mechanics' Bank	323,633	325,471	3,854,227	3,626,409
Union Bank	135,300	135,300	1,315,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Bank of America	41,665	42,336	12,118,115	11,[illegible]
Phenix Bank	77,260	79,260	3,876,036	3,841,851
City Bank			8,619,906	8,167,[illegible]
Tradesmen's Bank	374,911	375,249	1,769,207	1,780,032
Fulton Bank	220,653	221,639	1,849,[illegible]	2,060,[illegible]
Chemical Bank	87,000	87,000	4,[illegible]	4,[illegible]
Mech. Exch. Bk.	146,474	146,626	2,176,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
National Bank	146,876	146,027	1,601,615	1,701,123
Butch. & Drov. Bk.	320,790	319,919	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Mech. & Trad. Bk.	190,783	190,766	1,165,209	1,167,548
Greenwich Bank	149,477	149,972	838,[illegible]	856,[illegible]
Leather Man. Bk.	275,325	275,325	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Seventh Ward Bk.	191,769	190,[illegible]	1,329,816	1,311,478
Bk. St. New-York	379,[illegible]	380,[illegible]	5,[illegible]	5,[illegible]
Am. Exchange Bk.	345,[illegible]	350,[illegible]	8,[illegible]	8,172,[illegible]
Bk. of Commerce	1,716	1,716	10,918,[illegible]	9,[illegible]
Broadway Bank	236,395	237,572	4,217,[illegible]	3,[illegible]
Ocean Bank	270,[illegible]	271,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Mercantile Bank	6,427	6,427	3,634,[illegible]	3,[illegible]
Pacific Bank	130,[illegible]	130,612	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Bank of Republic	261,054	260,[illegible]	4,[illegible]	4,[illegible]
Chatham Bank	45,700	45,845	661,619	665,[illegible]
People's Bank	101,116	99,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bank of N. Am.	175,[illegible]	177,440	1,[illegible]	1,651,[illegible]
Hanover Bank	176,001	176,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Irving Bank	126,343	125,375	868,[illegible]	911,[illegible]
Metropolitan Bk.	407,[illegible]	409,[illegible]	8,[illegible]	7,[illegible]
Citizen's Bank	177,063	176,659	905,[illegible]	827,[illegible]
Nassau Bank	14,[illegible]	14,867	2,107,[illegible]	2,176,[illegible]
Market Bank	267,[illegible]	267,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
St. Nicholas Bank	198,117	198,594	1,[illegible]	1,174,[illegible]
Shoe & Leath. Bk.	224,[illegible]	225,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
Corn Exch. Bank	261,700	261,[illegible]	2,164,[illegible]	2,310,[illegible]
Continental Bank	240,[illegible]	240,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
Bk. of Commw'lth	200,[illegible]	319,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Oriental Bank	142,[illegible]	142,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Marine Bank	271,[illegible]	267,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
Atlantic Bank	126,[illegible]	124,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Imp. & Trad's Bk.	220,000	220,000	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
Park Bank	599,[illegible]	599,[illegible]	13,[illegible]	12,[illegible]
Mech. Bk'g Ass'n.	84,[illegible]	85,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]
Grocers' Bank	44,[illegible]	45,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North River Bank	80,167	79,665	747,[illegible]	794,[illegible]
East River Bank	110,[illegible]	112,[illegible]	316,[illegible]	325,[illegible]
Manuf. & Mer. Bk.	10,[illegible]	11,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
N. Y. Dry Dock Co.	104,[illegible]	103,[illegible]	406,[illegible]	411,[illegible]
N. Y. Exch. Bank	185,[illegible]	185,[illegible]	476,[illegible]	383,[illegible]
Bull's Head Bank	132,[illegible]	132,[illegible]	400,[illegible]	404,[illegible]
N. Y. County Bank	118,400	118,193	407,141	406,[illegible]
Total	9,[illegible]	9,[illegible]	164,[illegible]	162,[illegible]
Increase	$27,[illegible]		Increase	$1,[illegible]

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Oct. 20, 1862—6 P. M.

The reported receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been 29 bbls. Ashes, 26,482 bbls. Flour, 478 bbls. and 610 bags Corn Meal, 261,305 bushels Wheat, 192,903 bushels Corn, 13,774 bushels Barley, 42,904 bushels Oats, 7,654 pkgs. Provisions, and 200 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Pots Continue in fair request at $7 37½ ⅌ 100 lbs. Pearls are scarce and nominal.

COFFEE—Sales, to-day, 2,100 bags Santos, on private terms; 500 bags Rio, at 26½c., and 50 bags Maracaibo, in bond, at 21c. ⅌ lb.

COCOA—Sales, 70 bags Guayaquil, for export, on private terms.

COTTON—Is in limited demand, to-day, at lower and irregular prices. Middlings, at 58½c.@59c. ⅌ lb.

FLOUR AND MEAL—The depression in Gold and Sterling Exchange continues to act unfavorably on the market for Breadstuffs, including State and Western Flour, which has been less sought after, and prices of which have favored buyers. The reported sales since our last add up 17,300 bbls., part to arrive, including Superfine State, at $6 20@$6 40; poor to choice extra State, at $6 65@$7; Superfine Western, inferior to choice, at $6 20@$6 40; extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, &c., at $6 70@$8 50; round hoop extra Ohio, shipping brands, at $7 25@$7 40 ⅌ bbl.

Superfine State	$6 20	@$6 40
Extra State	6 65	@ 7 00
Superfine Western	6 20	@ 6 45
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.	6 70	@ 8 50
Extra Ohio, round hoop, shipping brands	7 25	@ 7 40
Extra Ohio, trade brands	7 50	@ 8 75
Extra Genesee	7 05	@ 9 00
Inferior to Choice Extra Missouri	7 00	@ 9 00

Southern Flour is heavy and drooping; sales 1,250 bbls., at $6 75@$7 20 for poor to good superfine Baltimore, &c.; $7 25@$8 50 for fancy to choice brands; and $6 50@$9 50 for very superior family brands. ⅌ bbl. Rye Flour continues in demand, and $5 30@$5 50 for fine and superfine, ⅌ bbl. Corn Meal is salable and firm at $3 55 for Jersey, $4 for Marsh's Caloric, and $4 for Brandywine, ⅌ bbl.

GRAIN—Wheat has been freely offered, and prices have declined 2c. per bushel, yet the demand has not increased. The reported sales since our last comprise 216,000 bushels, part from store and to arrive, including White Western, at $1 42@$1 50; Amber Western, at $1 38@$1 41; Red Western, (Winter,) at $1 34@$1 38; Amber Iowa and Wisconsin, at $1 28@$1 31, and very choice, at $1 34; Milwaukee Club, at $1 30@$1 36; Chicago Spring at $1 16@$1 23 ⅌ bushel. Corn is depressed and declining. Sales since our last, 154,000 bushels, part from store and to arrive, at 55c.@67c., for shipping Mixed Western; 60c.@64c. for Eastern Mixed do.; 55c.@59c. for unsound; 68c.@69c. for Yellow Western and 70c. for White do., ⅌ bushel. Rye continues in moderate request at 70c.@85c., according to quality, ⅌ bushel; sales 7,500 bushels. Oats are in fair demand, including Canada, at 36c.@38c., Western, at 36c.@39c.; and State, at 36c.@38c. ⅌ bushel. Barley is salable and buoyant; sales 14,000 bushels State and Canada at $1 28@$1 35 ⅌ bushel. Barley Malt, $1 45 ⅌ bushel.

The total equivalent of weekly receipts of Flour and Grain, from all sources except teams, at Chicago, from the first of January to Oct. 13, during each of the last five years, have been as follows:

	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.
1st	190,360	61,268	156,227	295,229	357,439
2d	178,848	79,281	231,[illegible]	409,107	485,702
3d	137,600	12,365	225,[illegible]	414,618	320,[illegible]
4th	287,523	34,971	321,[illegible]	344,815	400,213
5th	96,864	156,776	241,[illegible]	352,918	336,[illegible]
6th	160,054	153,298	288,130	372,500	423,001
7th	172,000	172,047	288,611	320,797	452,[illegible]
8th	232,123	112,000	198,800	312,461	364,[illegible]
9th	206,000	164,000	131,000	338,051	397,414
10th	225,143	54,794	230,139	374,[illegible]	276,[illegible]
11th	137,172	77,726	461,496	476,611	261,371
12th	116,062	162,180	280,579	426,042	159,[illegible]
13th	172,443	155,378	261,364	533,191	79,669
14th	238,184	181,218	443,743	426,476	216,[illegible]
15th	218,637	129,666	428,917	238,186	454,[illegible]
16th	200,739	168,845	626,977	455,771	256,[illegible]
17th	476,652	185,433	514,264	615,000	1,[illegible]
18th	497,514	213,831	536,263	902,850	757,367
19th	492,612	226,303	677,[illegible]	848,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
20th	360,697	322,136	317,163	1,038,219	963,605
21st	391,[illegible]	479,[illegible]	827,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
22d	327,970	514,[illegible]	675,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
23d	352,[illegible]	474,[illegible]	824,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	2,041,[illegible]
24th	399,474	392,785	675,512	1,697,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
25th	1,171,361	274,[illegible]	527,371	1,081,[illegible]	2,183,[illegible]
26th	1,[illegible]	323,421	905,[illegible]	1,134,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
27th	262,577	190,072	695,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,833,[illegible]
28th	242,674	245,170	441,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
29th	436,[illegible]	231,644	444,470	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
30th	302,[illegible]	170,[illegible]	409,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
31st	301,067	160,527	612,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
32d	416,[illegible]	336,[illegible]	1,212,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
33d	449,[illegible]	423,[illegible]	1,646,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
34th	1,[illegible]	385,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	1,[illegible]
35th	975,[illegible]	876,421	1,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]
36th	618,[illegible]	624,[illegible]	1,306,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	2,[illegible]

HAY—North River continues in fair request, today, at 85c.@70c. ⅌ 100 lbs.

MOLASSES—Sales include 150 bbls. New-Orleans at 46c. ⅌ gal.; 50 bbls. Porto Rico on private terms, and 50 tcs. and bbls. Cuba Muscovado at 42c. ⅌ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—A moderate business has been transacted in Common Rosin at $14 25 ⅌ 200 lbs., and Spirits Turpentine at 62@64c. ⅌ gallon.

PROVISIONS—Pork is plenty, and prices are [illegible]

DRY GOODS.

LATEST STYLES—LOWEST PRICES.
GENTLEMEN'S
MERINO, WOOL and SILK UNDERGARMENTS,
KID, CALF, CLOTH and CASTOR GLOVES,
TIES, SCARFS, SUSPENDERS,
HANDKERCHIEFS, TRAVELING and ARMY FLANNEL SHIRTS, CARDIGAN JACKETS,
WOOLEN AND MERINO
HALF HOSE, &c.
DRESS SHIRTS AND COLLARS TO ORDER.
LADIES'
UNDERVESTS, HOSIERY GOODS,
SONTAGS, NUBIAS, GAITERS, GLOVES,
SKATING HOSE, &c.
CHILDREN'S
UNDERVESTS, HOODS, BALMORAL HOSIERY,
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No. 165 6th-av.,
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Cold Window Shades.
Buff Holland Window Shades.
White do. do. do.
Green do. do. do.
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All the most fashionable styles for FALL AND WINTER WEAR.
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FINE CLOTH CLOAKS, new styles, at $6 to $8.
ENGLISH MELTON CLOTH CLOAKS, at $8 to $9.
FINE BEAVER CLOTH CLOAKS, richly trimmed, at $9 to $10.
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Having made our contracts for our Winter Cloakings early in July and previous to the late great advance in prices, we can sell nearly as low as last Winter.
We guarantee our prices 25 to 30 per cent. lower than Broadway and Canal-street stores.
Please note the name and number.
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DRESS GOODS FROM AUCTION.
GREAT BARGAINS
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Upwards of
50,000 YARDS PURCHASED
at prices ranging from 12½ to 62½ cents per yard,
AND
OFFERED FOR SALE
embracing every style and quality of
FASHIONABLE DRESS GOODS,
FRENCH MERINOS, OTTOMANS AND EMPRESS CLOTHS, PLAIN AND FIGURED,
DELAINES, IN SINGLE AND DOUBLE WIDTHS,
CREPES, COBOURGS, ALEACCAS,
ALSO,
A complete assortment of MOURNING GOODS, Shawls, Mantles, Veils, Capes, Gloves, &c., &c. Ladies, don't fail to examine our goods before purchasing. We are determined to keep our prices as low as any house in the city.
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SHAWLS. SHAWLS.
AT GREAT BARGAINS.
JUST RECEIVED,
FROM THE GREAT
AUCTION SALES OF THE WEEK,
500 Broche Square Shawls at $3 and upward.
500 Broche Long Shawls at $5 and upward.
250 Striped Broche Square Shawls at $5 and upward.
175 Striped Broche Long Shawls at $6 and upward.
Also, a large assortment of Long and Square Woolen Shawls, in new colors, and very cheap.
W. K. PEYTON,
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AT LEGRAIN'S,
200 Extra Rich SILKS for Dresses, of the best make and richest designs. (The Dress which cost to import from sixty to eighty dollars will be offered at
FORTY-TWO DOLLARS!!!
In easy New SILKS just received.
Good Black SILKS (cut 25 per cent. under market value.
Extra rich figured Ottomans, Velvetens and Poplins.
Plain Empress Cloth and Ottoman, from 75 cents to $2 per yard.
100 pieces Velvetine at 30 cents, worth 50 cents.
Most desirable Plaided Woolens for Children.
100 pieces Queen's Cloth, 1½ yards wide, a most excellent black material for troubled Dresses not to be found in any other store in the City.
BALMORAL SKIRTS.
Mourning Goods sold this season without profit.
No. 769 BROADWAY, corner Waverley-place,
Near New-York Hotel.

LACES!!!
REAL CHANTILLY BLACK GUIPURE,
APPLICATION DE BRUSSELLE, FLOUNCINGS, EDGINGS and INSERTIONS.
The Stock of an Importer, amounting to $50,000, and our own Lace Stock, together about $75,000, to be sold before the end of
THIS SEASON.
This is an excellent opportunity to select, in advance Black or White Shawls, Scarfs, Flounces, and Sets for MARRIAGE PRESENTS.
"Point de Venise" Sets, from $12 to $300.
N. B.—Merchants will find it to their interest to see this stock before buying from importers.
(No Dunner Given.)
LEGRAIN, No. 769 Broadway,
Corner of Waverley-place, and near New-York Hotel.

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HAVING RETURNED FROM PARIS,
Will open on
MONDAY, OCT. 20,
THE
FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS
IN
VELVET, SILK AND CLOTH
CLOAKS,
To which she invites the attention of her customers.
No. 1,102 Broadway, corner 26th-st.

RICH LACES AND NEW EMBROIDERIES
Just received by
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ARE NOW ON EXHIBITION.
Black Chantilly Points, unsurpassed in style.
Black Thread Veils, from 25 up, at less than last year's prices; Point Sets of a new description, and many other desirable goods.

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FALL AND WINTER STYLES,
NOW OPEN IN
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No. 361 Broadway.

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FOR MISSES AND CHILDREN,
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GLOVES! GLOVES! GLOVES!—EIGHT hundred dozen Ladies' and Misses' kid and Fall gloves, at less than last year's prices; a full assortment of hosiery and under-garments, very cheap. New trimmings, braids, buttons, velvets, small wares. N. B.—500 dozen nice-fitting corsets, at $1. Ladies' and Misses' skirts made to order. Alexandre's celebrated gloves, at ELGER'S, Nos. [illegible]

BANKRUPT STOCK OF SUPERIOR WORSTED.—An importer's stock, over $10,000, at less than last year's prices; also, a large stock of Scotch [illegible] N. B.—Jouvin's genuine kid gloves, warranted; trimmings very che

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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

WALLACK'S—Broad Francis.

WINTER GARDEN—Broadway.

NIBLO'S GARDEN—THE MAID OF THE WOODS.

GERMAN OPERA HOUSE—No. 405 Broadway—IRAN DE PARIS.

IRVING HALL—Gentemann's Concerts.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM—Broadway Corner Tremont-st. Curiosities, as all hours—Panoramas, on Dress-rail Room, Afternoon and Evening.

GEORGE CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS—Hall of Mechanics—No. 472 Broadway. Ten Magnificent Moonlights.

HOOD CHAPEL—Theme's California.

THE WONDERS OF THE WORLD—No. 539 Broadway.

CONCERTS, No. 701 Broadway—Lane's Historical Pictures of the Rebellion of the Old Sixty-Ninth.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

The dispatches from the Army of the Potomac show that quiet reigns along the lines.

A dispatch is said to have been received by Gov. Curtin at Harrisburgh on Sunday, stating that the rebels in heavy force had crossed the Potomac above at Hancock, but had been repulsed by the National troops, with considerable slaughter on both sides. The dispatch was probably only a Sunday production, as its statements are not confirmed.

The Washington *Republican* gives currency to a story, said to have been brought to Gen. SIGEL's headquarters by a refugee from Amissville, Culpeper County, Va., to the effect that, in consequence of an apprehended revolt of the slaves in that region, seventeen negroes, most of them free, had been hung. Northern newspapers having been found on them containing the President's emancipation proclamation. The terror of the white population is represented to be very great.

A party of our cavalry went from Centreville to the vicinity of Catlett's Station on Saturday, with the intention of capturing a rebel train on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad; but the enemy, having been apprised of our approach, took means to prevent the success of the expedition. The whole country between Centreville and the Rappahannock is reported to be swarming with rebel cavalry.

Copies of the Richmond *Dispatch*, of Oct. 17, have been received. It claims that the rebels have captured from nine to ten thousand prisoners in the Kentucky and other battles in the West. It also exults over STUART's late raid into Pennsylvania. Offensive war is strongly urged, and the purchase of emancipation is proclaimed. Baltimore rebels have rumors of Nashville having been captured, but the stories are wholly unreliable.

GENERAL NEWS.

Advices from Europe two days later are received by the steamship *Bavaria*, which passed Cape Race on Sunday afternoon. She left Southampton on the 8th inst. The President's Emancipation Proclamation had reached England, and of course received much attention. The London Times does not question the right of the President to issue it, but insists that he is without the power to enforce his decree. The North, it thinks, must conquer every square mile of the South before it can make the proclamation of any effect than mere waste paper. The steamer Kedrin, laden with stores for the rebels, was run into by another vessel in the Clyde, and sunk. The French Gen. CHANGARNIER had taken the trouble to deny the truth of a rumor that he had been offered the command of the National Army by President LINCOLN. Letters have been received in Paris from Vera Cruz, which give different accounts of affairs in Mexico from those published in the French papers. According to these accounts, the French will not have an easy road to travel to the Mexican Capital. JUAREZ is preparing for a desperate resistance; the City of Mexico is strongly fortified, and the advance from Orizaba will be disputed inch by inch. GARIBALDI and his followers, as we were led to expect by previous advices, have been granted an amnesty by King VICTOR EMANUEL, exception being made in the case of deserters from the royal army. The Liverpool Cotton market was buoyant, and an advance had taken place on all varieties. Breadstuffs were steady, and Provisions dull. Consols were quoted at 94¼ for Money.

The Philadelphia *North American* enumerates the Congressmen elected in Pennsylvania as follows: Union, 14; Breckinridgers, 10. It puts down Samuel Breese Blair as reelected, and Francis W. Tracy, Independent Republican, and Henry Harry, as Democrats. It supposes the composition of the next Legislature to be as follows: Senate, Union, 20; Breckinridge, 10. House, Union, 48; Breckinridge, 50; two not ascertained. Frank W. Hughes will not be elected United States Senator. Charles Denison, of Williamsburg, who has been elected by a majority over Speaker Grow, was elected on the following platform and pledge:

"Resolved, That we are in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war to suppress the rebellion, and that all the energies possessed by the Government should be employed to that end.

Mr. Denison accepted in the following terms:

"And, in accepting your nomination, I think proper to say that if elected I will sustain the Government in putting down the rebellion, and in its efforts to restore the Union and enforce the laws; and that I will, to the utmost of my power, support the Constitution in all its requirements."

The Board of Aldermen met at one o'clock yesterday afternoon. The name of D. RANDOLPH MARVIN, for Street Commissioner, was rejected by 10 to 5. The Comptroller reported that the receipts in the City Treasury last week, amounted to $1,166,594 26, (the tax collections during that week having been large,) the balance on hand last Saturday amounted to $4,832,333 68. The appropriation of $6,000 to meet the expenses of the Dinners and Evening receptions, was concurred in. The ordinance appropriating $53,000 to take up streets and put down new mains in Fifth-avenue, came back from the Councilmen with a proviso for contract. Mr. DAYTON said the work was of such a delicate character, that it was doubtful whether it ought to be done by contract. The Croton Board could do it much better and more economically by days' work than any contractor would. The ordinance was referred to the Croton Aqueduct Committee. The Board adjourned till to-day at 4 o'clock, on the motion of Mr. OTTERSON, and his statement that the Mayor, Hall, would then send them a name for Street Commissioner upon which they could all agree(?).

The Board of Councilmen met last evening and [illegible] most of it [illegible] of general interest. The half million Family Aid Ordinance No. 4, introduced at the previous meeting by Mr. OSBORN, was taken up and passed. The $1,000,000 Harbor and City Defence Ordinance was received from the other Board and laid over under the rule. The Board adjourned to Thursday.

The Union Association of the Twenty-first Ward held a ratification meeting at their Rooms corner of Thirty-second-street and Broadway. Addresses were delivered by Hon. JAMES WADSWORTH, PARKE GODWIN, JOSEPH HOXIE and J. WILSON GREEN, amid much cheering, and about 10 o'clock the meeting adjourned.

The trial of JOHN REYNOLDS for the murder of the pugilist, PAT. MATTHEWS, on the 6th of February last, was commenced in the Court of Sessions, before Recorder HOFFMAN, yesterday, and will be continued at 11 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. LINCOLN left Washington on yesterday morning to make a visit to her son ROBERT, who is pursuing his studies at Cambridge. She designed going *via* Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, and will make a short stay in this City where she arrived last evening.

Workmen at the Philadelphia navy-yard are making preparations to lay the keel of the ironclad steamer on the railway connected with the stone basin. The new frigate will have a much heavier frame than the *Ironsides*. The timbers for it are now chiefly in the navy-yard, and a force of men is to be put at once to work upon them. The length of the vessel over all will be 275 feet, breadth of beam 56 feet. This will give her the same beam as the *Ironsides*, but an excess of length of 35 feet. Her armament is to consist mainly of 15-inch guns, which carry a shot of 450 pounds. The only objection to building the vessel in the open air is that the cold and stormy season is approaching, when the workmen will not be able to make much more than half time.

In one of the cases found on board the prize steamer *Bermuda*, at Philadelphia, were many brass buttons, having stamped upon them the coat-of-arms of Georgia, South Carolina, and one or two others of the rebel States. These, with the postage stamps, big guns, bomb-shells, powder and small arms, go pretty far to make out that the vessel, though intended to be taken into Nassau, was destined for a Southern port. The steamer is still lying at the foot of Queen-street, and will remain there until a decision, expected during the present week, is given by the Prize Court.

The United States steamer *Augusta* was taken off the dock at the Philadelphia Navy-yard, on Saturday. She will be immediately fitted out for service.

The total number of drafted men in Camp Cleveland, Ohio, on Oct. 17 was 1,067. The commissioners reported 2,112 as drafted. Of these, one hundred and two were exempted by surgeons. Three hundred and eighty of the entire number furnished substitutes.

Three gentlemen, charged with being Confederate agents—C. W. BALDWIN, J. H. AUSTIN, and A. W. PATTERSON—were arrested in St. Louis on Thursday. A search of their effects brought to light about $1,000 worth of rare and costly drugs.

Judge RICE, of Illinois, has decided that colored persons are not privileged to teach school in that State, and that the public moneys cannot be appropriated to pay their salaries.

The argument on the Seventh-avenue Railway injunction, at Supreme Court Chambers, was not reached yesterday, and will doubtless be heard to-day. The counsel for the Company objected to the hearing of the motion by any Judge not of this district.

The price of Gold fell to 127@127¼ ⅌ cent. yesterday, as against 129¼@130 on Saturday afternoon. The Share market was feverish and lower, but closed comparatively firm. Exchange fell to 140¼@141 ⅌ cent.

Breadstuffs were depressed yesterday, and prices were generally lower. Provisions were more freely offered, and were in less demand at drooping rates. Cotton was much cheaper, and inactive. Sugars, Molasses, Rice, and Spices were quiet. Coffee, Whisky, Hay, Hops and Tallow were in fair demand at uniform quotations. The freight market was lower, and irregular.

The Forty-fourth-street cattle-market was quite lively yesterday. About 4,700 beeves were in the yards, and the bright, cool weather favored trade. Sales were brisk in the forenoon, with a moderate business during the rest of the day. The cattle were of good quality, with a few exceptions, and butchers paid one or two dollars per head more than last week, particularly for first-class cattle. The numbers sold at 8¼c.@9c. yesterday were certainly greater than one week ago, though owners were unwilling to admit an advance. With a few more droves to arrive, there will hardly be much variation to-day. Hogs have suddenly gone up near 1c. ⅌ lb.

THE SURRENDER OF HARPER'S FERRY—WHAT OUGHT TO BE DONE.—There is some prospect that the President may act directly upon the report of the Military Commission appointed to investigate the surrender of Harper's Ferry. Too long a time has already elapsed before the calls of justice are listened to in that case; and it may instruct us as to what ought to be done in the matter, to note what was done in a somewhat similar one, as narrated by the historian MOTLEY.

In the great struggle of the Sixteenth Century between Liberty, represented by the united Netherlands, and Slavery, then represented by the Power of Spain, ALEXANDER FARNESE laid siege to the City of Grave with an army of about 8,000 men. The city was held by about 1,600 men, under the command of Baron HENART, a man "of small experience in military affairs;" and during the siege an additional force of 500 men was thrown into the place. FARNESE opened his fire upon the city on the 5th of June. The Spaniards were driven back in their first assault upon a tower, but on the next morning HENART opened negotiations for a surrender, and obtained easy terms, and on June 7 the garrison marched out with colors displayed and drums beating. All the officers except three had protested against the surrender. There are several points of similarity between the two cases, as will be seen. Both places were reinforced. In both the besiegers were driven back on their first assault, and then the place was yielded against the protest of the under officers.

How was the surrender of Grave treated? HENART was at once placed under arrest. A Court-Martial was called on June 26, which at once found that his conduct deserved death. Great efforts were made to save his life. He "was a young man without experience," and had been overcome by the outcries of the women, and there was no proof of treachery or of personal cowardice. HENART himself begged hard for his life, that he might, by long service as a private soldier without pay, wipe out the stain upon his reputation. But it was all in vain. The Generals of that time felt that "in such a time, when men had come to think no more of giving up a town than of abandoning a house, it was highly necessary to afford an example to traitors and satisfaction to the people;" and on the 28th of June, HENART and two of the three captains who had not protested against the surrender, were beheaded.

What was the result? The next place that FARNESE besieged, with a garrison of only 1,600, resisted his army of 10,000 for a month, and was only taken by storm. The next siege was the famous one of Sluys, in the following Summer, in which a garrison of 1,600 defended two miles and a half of ramparts, besides forts and ravelins, "against 6,000 Spaniards from early in June till the 5th of August, having in the place," as one of them said, "no Hennarts, but valiant captains and valiant soldiers, such as with God's help had rather be buried in the place than be disgraced in any point that belongs to such a number of men of war."

Such was the treatment which such surrenders met in the good old times. We do not believe that later days have found a better way. Such cases call for swift and sharp treatment. The death of Col. MILES *may have saved from punishment the one at* whose door the evacuation of Maryland Heights and the consequent surrender of Harper's Ferry really lies. But unless it is shown conclusively that it lay at his door, the people will only be satisfied by stern and speedy justice upon those who are guilty.

Seymourism as Conservatism.

The Seymourites of this State love to style themselves *Conservatives*. They are somewhat chary of the old appellation of Democrats. Seeing that the *leading* portion of the old party of that name are now in armed rebellion, and that its *best* portion are now staunch supporters of the Government in distinction from themselves, and mindful too of the prejudices of their old foes, and present allies, the Know-Nothings, they rather shun a designation so unpleasantly suggestive, and take to one of a little more attractive cast. They fancy that they gain a point in adopting a name usually connected with respectability.

But what do these politicians mean by it? Does it involve any idea appropriate to the period? Every man, of course, knows what conservatism implies in the "piping times of peace." We can all understand, and in some sort admire too, the disposition to walk in the good old ways, and to cultivate the virtues of contentment, moderation, and prudence. In ordinary times, the conservative policy is simply the policy of keeping things quiet, and maintaining the *status quo*. But we are not living in ordinary times. We are in the midst of the most dreadful civil war this globe has ever known. Death is now the only quiet, and rivers of blood the only *status quo*. Is it the conservation of these things the Seymourites mean? We suppose not. They are said to have a particular aversion to all such sights and experiences.

Well, then, is it the conservation of the Constitution and the Union they are after? It is precisely this which Gen. WADSWORTH seeks, and every man in the State who intends to vote for him. It is precisely this which President LINCOLN, and all his constitutional advisers, and all his Generals, are trying to accomplish. The sole object of the war is to save the Constitution and the Union. It was so declared in the beginning, and will be so followed to the end. In this sense, those who support the war are conservatives, and the only conservatives. The rebels who struggle to break up the Constitution and the Union, and they who give them aid and comfort, are the true and only destructives.

But the Seymourites will still persist in dubbing themselves conservatives. Have they no pretext for it? Is there indeed nothing to give coloring to the assumption? Something there assuredly is, for there is never simulation without some plausibility. In one view, these men are conservatives; and strongly, desperately so. They are for *conserving Slavery*, at all costs and to the last extremity. They have no other idea of conservatism than that; and it is simply and solely because the supporters of the Administration contemplate the destruction of Slavery, in case that step be considered necessary for the salvation of the Union, that they are denounced as destructives. These Seymourites thus, though they do not distinctly avow it, really make Slavery the sovereign test of conservatism. It is adherence to this institution, and not the National Constitution, which, in their regard, determines whether a man is conservative or not. The emancipationist, as they will have it, is *de facto* a disorganizer; and the Pro-Slavery man a preserver.

We know that these men object to having it presented in just that shape. When these factionists cloak themselves in conservatism, they don't mean it shall be exactly in the wraprascal of Slavery, but rather in the imperial purple of the Constitution. Their talk is that Slavery is secured by the Constitution, and that what puts an end to one must put an end to the other. It is all a base cheat. The Constitution does not guaranty Slavery. There is not a line in it to that effect. All that it undertakes is to remand slaves escaping from one State to another when claimed, and to protect any State "against domestic violence," including, of course, servile insurrection. But there is nothing here securing the *vitality* of Slavery. Two of its liabilities are guarded against, but further than that, there is nothing stipulated. The Constitution was designed to be permanent, and yet, when it was made, it was believed that Slavery could not outlast one or two generations. In fact, Slavery has since been ended in half of the original thirteen States, without affecting the Constitution one iota. Just so, too, it might be ended in every State without the slightest injury to an organic law. This would be the same, whether it were done by voluntary State action, or in answer to a military necessity under the laws of war. President LINCOLN deems that such a necessity now exists, and, therefore, in his capacity as Commander-in-Chief, has issued his proclamation of emancipation. The Seymourites may question, if they please, whether there be such a necessity. But that is simply a question of fact—not one of constitutional law at all. The supporters of the Administration believe that there is such a necessity, and are ready to follow it out. They will do so, and expect thereby to close the war and save the Constitution. If the Seymourites do not believe it, let them seek to disprove it. Let them show that, while the necessities of the war daily impose all other injuries upon the rebel foe, they exempt his slave property—that, though ports may be blockaded to keep rebel armies from being clothed, slaves must not be set free to keep the same armies from being fed—that though these armies may be swept into annihilation on the open plain, there must be no interference with the blacks, who are compelled to make intrenchments, which will save them from such a fate. All this is allowable. But when these factious men undertake to repel this military necessity, not on the ground of fact, but from a pretended concern for the Constitution, the imposture is palpable. It is understood at once that their chief concern is for Slavery; that they care not what risks of eternal destruction the Constitution incurs, if so be that Slavery remains safe.

The difference between the Administration and its enemies lies here exactly. While the former holds everything subordinate to the salvation of the Constitution, which it has sworn to protect without condition, the latter holds everything subordinate to the security of Slavery, which they have never failed to serve without limit. While the former works for and looks for no end of the war, but in the complete restoration and vindication of Federal authority, the latter seeks and anticipates a peace short of that—a peace which shall be a compromise, and, by new concessions, reconcile Slavery to the present Government; or, that failing, a peace which shall be a surrender, and remit Slavery to a distinct and independent Government. In short, while the former would destroy Slavery, if need be, to save the Nation, the latter would destroy the nation, if need be, to save Slavery. So much for the conservatism of the Seymourites.

Sucking the Treasury—Colonization Schemes.

In behalf of a suffering National Treasury, we protest against the further consideration of schemes for sending the newly enfranchised blacks to foreign colonies. Every day we see the engineering appliances of these gigantic jobs peering through the Washington dispatches. They have been exposed and exploded, and it is time they were abandoned.

Mr. POMEROY, of Kansas, had a notable project on hand, which was supposed to be under the patronage of the President. At all events, Mr. POMEROY was willing for it to be so regarded by the public. Somewhere in Central America, a Mr. THOMPSON ("with a p,") wished to sell a million or two acres of land, or perhaps a small State, to the United States Government. Mr. POMEROY would go out and examine it, taking his black colonists with him. If he liked, he would buy, plant his colonists there, and divide the territory among them. If he did not like, why, the world was large, his commission broad, his backer strong, he would reembark his wares, and set sail for "Cowes and a market."

But who doubts that Mr. THOMPSON and Mr. POMEROY would have traded? When, ever, were such immense transfers of land and money left to two individuals so wholly engaged in philanthropy as these two, and a way not found to achieve a judicious business transaction? To be sure, there seemed to be a slight flaw in the programme. It was positively asserted, by those who claimed to know, that Mr. THOMPSON not only had no vacant States and Territories lying around loose in Central America, but that he had no title to even so much as a foot of land in any tropical region—unless it might be one too tropical to name in this connection. It was further said—and this seemed a rather formidable difficulty—that the Central American States positively refused to receive as colonists any of the cast-off race of the United States. Mr. SEWARD has since, by a published circular, fully confirmed this statement. But it is hard to kill a scheme in which the most of the money used is "clear profit." Accordingly, we find by very fresh dispatches from Washington that Mr. POMEROY, having just returned from Kansas, is "very happy to inform the public that nothing has occurred to give him the slightest discouragement as to the success of his colonizing scheme!"

This is amazing. The Government of the United States hasn't a foot of land in Central America. Mr. THOMPSON has none there to sell; and if he had, the Governments there will permit no negro colonists to enter. Yet the scheme is boldly thrust anew on the country, and one of our City cotemporaries, a few days since, asserted that $24,000 had actually been obtained from the National Treasury to sustain it! By whose order—by whose countenance—by whose permission—by whose negligence is this plunder permitted?

We discover a new trick to help on this Colonization speculation. A Commissioner has been sent down to canvass the sentiments of the "contrabands" at Fortress Monroe and Norfolk. They are reported to be unanimous in favor of *expatriation*, so much do they dread the climate of the North, and so much do they fear their old masters will catch them! This will do to "tell to the marines," but every person who knows negro nature knows that negroes have no such passion for exile in unknown, distant lands. This story is a bait on the Colonization hook to catch simple-minded Congressmen.

Cannot the President quietly and quickly crush these immense speculating jobs by establishing a military protectorate over Florida, and offering free homes to the enfranchised blacks who will go thither? The United States owns more "tropical" lands in Florida and Texas than would make six such countries as Central America. It is bought and paid for—and now it has to be redeemed afresh, with treasure and blood, from the grasp of treason. Who will till these tropical lands, if we send away the African race to foreign shores? Why should we win them back, if they are to lie wild and uncultured for generations, as they already have lain for centuries? The United States cannot afford such speculations as Mr. POMEROY invites us to—the spending of a thousand million dollars *to enfranchise labor and export it to regions where it will never add a dollar to the National Treasury, so exhausted by sacrifices in its behalf*. The proposition is preposterous. It is monstrous. Away with it.

NEGRO HANGING IN THE SOUTH.—A Washington paper has heard a story of the hanging of seventeen negroes in Virginia for having in their possession copies of the Emancipation Proclamation of President LINCOLN. We expect to hear from the SEYMOUR party a deep and indignant howl over this affair. It will be contended that the President's sympathy for the slave has proved the greatest cruelty to him, and that the best way to protecte the happiness of the oppressed race is to "let his master alone."

If the story had been that seventeen whites in the South had been murdered by the negroes, being excited thereto by the proclamation, the outcry from the SEYMOUR party would have been absolutely deafening and uncontrolable. It is clear that, in either case, whether white men or black men were murdered, the proclamation would have been deemed the cause, and its policy thereupon condemned as bloody and atrocious. A word upon these points.

Mr. LINCOLN did not issue his Proclamation primarily from sympathy for the slaves, but from antipathy and hostility to rebel masters. If cruelties are inflicted on the slaves by reason of the President's act, the fact will only establish the injustice and inhumanity of the slaveocrats who commit the deed. And the President can be consoled for the lamentable result by the reflection that the present ills to a few blacks will be compensated for by the greater good to millions of whites whose fate is involved in the war; and further, that the frenzy of the moment that dashes out a few lives of slaves, is evidence of a medicine in the Southern system that in the end will rescue the black race from its moral atrophy and make it a positive power in the world.

THE SAME WITH A MATERIAL DIFFERENCE.—The Seymourites are claiming the victories of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania and Ohio as premonitions of their own forthcoming triumph in New-York. The Government has been beaten, they say, in a fair fight by the Democracy of those States; it will be beaten quite as surely here. There is, however, a notable halt in this reasoning. The Democrats of the Western States did not take ground against the Administration. They declared for the war and its prosecution to the bitter end; they declared their intention to sustain President LINCOLN, and especially to sustain him in a more vigorous exertion of power to repress the rebellion. There was nothing in their published resolutions, or their speeches, to indicate any relaxation of effort against traitors, or any willingness to regard treason with tenderness, or to call it by pet names. They announced themselves as War Democrats, and took issue with the Republicans upon the comparative ability of the two parties to urge the contest with the greater zeal.

Seymourism is not of this sort. It gathers within its fold all the sympathizers with rebellion—all the self-conscious traitors, whose clamors about Fort Lafayette are the suggestions of perturbed consciences. It has gentle words for traitors; it has open denunciation of the Government; it sows broadcast the seeds of enmity between the loyal people of the country. In Ohio, such men as VALLANDIGHAM were consigned to obscurity. In New-York such men swarm on Congressional and local tickets, and are representative men of the party. To say, therefore, that the Democratic successes of the West have any bearing upon the probable issue of our own canvass is simply a harmless flight of audacity.

UNAUTHORIZED EXPOSURE OF PRIVATE LETTERS.—When JOHN VAN BUREN read Gen. SCOTT's letter before the Cooper Institute meeting of Seymourites, he was particular to state that he was "*not* authorized by Gen. SCOTT to make the letter public." The letter, it will be recollected, was addressed to the consideration of President LINCOLN, and reached him through the hands of Mr. SEWARD. It was a private letter—we might perhaps style it a sacredly confidential letter. Certainly, in view of the effect its publication is calculated to have on the reputation of the parties concerned, it was not the interest either of the writer or of the receivers of it that its contents should ever be known. And we took the liberty, a few days ago, in denouncing the breach of confidence involved in the exposure of the letter, to ask Mr. VAN BUREN who was guilty of the bad act of securing it for publication.

Mr. VAN BUREN has not replied. But the dispatches from Washington, yesterday, contained a disclaimer on the part of the President and Mr. SEWARD of having published or authorized to be published the letter, or of having any cognizance of the means by which it reached the public. Inasmuch as Mr. VAN BUREN had previously acquitted Gen. SCOTT of any agency in the matter, the case is perfectly clear that there has been unpardonable bad faith, if not downright dishonor, in the use made of the letter. The letter itself is of no consequence now. It has been superseded, like a thousand other speculations of honest but mistaken men on the cause, and cure of the rebellion. But the act of violating private confidence is an individual degradation, and a social wrong that party advantage can never excuse. It is more important to Mr. VAN BUREN that he clear his reputation of the stain of this shameful deed, than the letter itself is important to the cause he sought to advocate by it.

REBEL GREAT GUNS.—We are occasionally informed by imaginative skippers that rebel pirates have fired at them with Armstrong guns. And all the peculiar missiles from rebel field and deck are positively distinguished by the name of some well-known European ordnance maker. The Armstrong gun is certainly a formidable machine, but it may be some consolation to know that there was never one of them in rebel or any other but British hands. The Government for whose exclusive use they are made at its own arsenal at Woolwich, and at its chartered gun-factory at Elswick, does not retail cannon, any more than the United States Government peddles Springfield muskets or Dahlgren guns. Nor does any other establishment in England or elsewhere make any ordnance resembling Sir WILLIAM ARMSTRONG's. The only remarkable guns obtained by the rebels in England are Capt. BLAKELY's, (resembling PARROT's,) made by Messrs. FAWCETT, PRESTON & Co., of Liverpool, and Mr. JOSEPH WHITWORTH's, made at his works in Manchester. The Whitworth projectile are always hexagonal, unlike all others, and hence are the only ones that can identify the gun. The Blakely ordnance is rifled in numerous ways, and is as likely to fire solid bolts as expanding shot. The later Armstrong gun is peculiarly dangerous to the gunners, on account of its breech being very vulnerable to shot. Twenty (?) in the 100 pounder,) but, like the Dahlgren gun, it can fire our own—JAMES or BORMANN—shot as well as its own expanding missile.

A PROSPECT OF EMANCIPATION AMONGST THE REBELS.—It would not be astonishing if there were a basis of truth to the reports that come from Eastern Virginia of difficulties among *the slaves. Gen. Pope operated extensively* in the region around Culpepper, on the Rappahannock, where the slave revolt is apprehended, and stirred up considerably the social organization and the slave system there; and though we suppose that a large number of the resident negroes have been removed from a locality which might any day be in our possession, yet there are enough left to give serious trouble for a time. The negroes in the towns of this part of Virginia are quite intelligent, many of them can read, and the news of the Emancipation Proclamation has undoubtedly by this time penetrated every cabin round about.

On the other hand, it is quite as likely that the conspiracy is simply born of the fears of the whites. Say what the Southerners will, there is nothing that has for many years been more generally apprehended and dreaded throughout the Slave States than negro conspiracies and negro revolts. Extraordinary precautions have always been taken against them, and every means put in operation to ferret them out should they be suspected; and in this way the negroes have frequently been suspected of conspiracy, and of forming plans of insurrection, when they were alike innocent of such designs.

There is no doubt whatever that on the first sign of slave rebellion anywhere in the South, the most sanguinary means will be adopted by the white rebels to crush out the black race; and the hanging of the seventeen negroes reported will be but the beginning of the terrible punishment that will be meted out to the negroes of Culpepper County, if there is truth in the story of their conspiracy. Every such effort will be quickly drowned in the blood of the rebellious slaves; and as anything like unity of action on the part of the latter is impossible, it will be an easy thing for those white rebels, left by the conscription to crush out the insurrectionary attempts in their respective localities. Southern slave insurrections, on any formidable scale, are quite impossible at present. The whole will suffer from the Emancipation Proclamation, and the negroes will get the benefit of it, just as our army advances.

WADSWORTH AND MCCLELLAN.—The Democratic Press of the State are making much capital out of a statement of Mr. JOHN VAN BUREN that Gen. WADSWORTH has been a systematic detractor of President LINCOLN and Gen. MCCLELLAN. Prince JOHN pretended the existence of evidence for this charge, but failed to produce it. Why is it not forthcoming? Possibly for the sufficient reason that Gen. WADSWORTH has never been to the slightest degree amenable to the accusation; and that he has not, we have the highest authority for asserting. The whole story is a deliberate and shameless invention, without the slightest basis of fact.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

OUR SPECIAL WASHINGTON DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Oct. 20.

COMING EVENTS.

An interview of Gen. HALLECK to-day with the President in the presence of the Secretary of War, is significant of the events foreshadowed in our dispatches of last week, and which cannot much longer be delayed.

THE ADMINISTRATION IN MISSOURI.

While the Administration seems to be losing ground in the free border States, advices from Missouri show it to be gaining there. A rapid change is taking place in public sentiment on the question of emancipation, and it is believed to be quite certain that the President's suggestions will be adopted there, and the State speedily relieved from Slavery by peaceful measures. Senator HENDERSON and Senator SWAYNE, of Illinois, are largely contributing to this result by personal efforts among the people.

THE COLONIZATION SCHEME.

The obstacles to Senator POMEROY's colonization enterprise seem gradually being removed, though it is doubtful whether an expedition can be made ready to sail this Fall, and return in season for the Senator's Congressional duties. His preparations are all made, and he only awaits the removal of diplomatic difficulties interposed. It is understood that the Government will base no action upon a claim set up by a prominent New-York operator to a tract of land in Chiriqui and will scrupulously respect the feelings and rights of all Central American Governments.

THE LOSSES AT PERRYVILLE.

Gen. BUELL has telegraphed to Surgeon-Gen. HAMMOND that the whole number of wounded at the late battle at Perryville was about 2,500.

PANIC IN FREDERICKSBURGH.

Refugees from Fredericksburgh, Va., state that the contents of most of the stores in the place were packed up last week and sent to the depôt, in readiness for transportation to Richmond, in view of a rumored advance of the National troops upon that place. The stores were seized by order of the Jeff. Davis Government. Our informant, who is a Union man, had sixty-five barrels of flour stolen from him by the rebel emissaries. Great trepidation exists among the rebels in Fredericksburgh, lest the Union troops should again occupy the place. Our informant says that not less than one hundred thousand pairs of boots and shoes were smuggled to Richmond for the use of the rebel army by persons representing themselves to be Union men during the period that our troops had possession of Fredericksburgh. Rebel emissaries were constantly engaged in buying up the boots and shoes they could get, from jobbers and merchants establishing themselves in Fredericksburgh. It is said the rebel Government has procured enough boots and shoes from this and other contraband sources to shoe their whole army for the coming Winter.

DESERTION OF REBEL CONSCRIPTS.

A number of rebel conscripts confined in the jail at Fredericksburgh, broke from thence one night this week, and many of them succeeded in effecting their escape—some to this city. All of them were Union men, and were placed in confinement because they manifested unwillingness, and protested against being forced into the rebel service. Several of them are reported to have been killed by a rebel cavalry force sent in pursuit. Most of them, however, it is believed, succeeded in making good their escape, though a few are still known to be in Prince William and Fairfax Counties, on their way to Washington.

GEN. ROSECRANS.

Friends of Gen. ROSECRANS assert that if he had not been recalled by Gen. GRANT from his pursuit of the forces of PRICE, VAN DORN, and LOVELL, he was in position to have utterly annihilated the rebel forces in the Southwest. They do not blame Gen. GRANT, but

[illegible] Gen. McCLELLAN to Gen. PRENTISS.

Gen. B. M. Prentiss was presented, on Saturday, with three handsome testimonials from officers of regiments under his command, (captured at Shiloh.)

The first was a magnificent gold mounted sword, upon which is the following inscription: "Presented to Gen. B. M. Prentiss by the officers of the Twenty-third Missouri Volunteers, for gallant services rendered at the battle of Shiloh, April 6, 1862."

The second testimonial is a beautiful gold-headed cane, "presented to Gen. B. M. Prentiss by the officers of the Eighth Iowa Infantry."

The third gift consists of a magnificent solid silver pitcher, richly elaborated with military designs, "presented to Gen. B. M. Prentiss by the officers of the Eighteenth Missouri Volunteers, who were taken prisoners with him at Shiloh, April 6, 1862."

GEN. KEARNY'S LETTER.

The strictures of Gen. KEARNY, in his lately-published letter, upon the General officers of the Army of the Potomac, have developed the existence of other letters, in which different opinions are expressed. In one, addressed to Gen. HERRMANN, he professes the highest respect for that officer's abilities and character. But it is not known that any recent letter exists in which he takes a favorable view of the military talents of Gen. McCLELLAN, in whom he would seem for a long time to have lacked confidence.

GEN. SIGEL IN GOOD HEALTH.

The statement of one of your cotemporaries that Gen. SIGEL is in bad health, is pronounced untrue by a member of that officer's Staff. The General's physical condition is as good as usual.

PUBLIC FEELING IN WASHINGTON.

The anxiety prevailing in official circles is intense. All who are in the least behind the scenes, know clearly enough that matters cannot long continue in their present shape. The constituted authorities must either surrender or enforce their orders. The air is densely charged with rumors; and each journeyman here is a sort of lightning-conductor toward which all the sparks of intelligence and guess-work converge. It is believed that we shall have a thunder-storm before many days—or, at least, one vivid and powerful flash—which, striking a lofty peak, will illuminate many dark spots in our recent history, and do much to give us a healthier, more elastic and less opaque atmosphere. "Things cannot go on as they are," is everywhere the cry. "The country cannot stand it—not what it may, the matter must be settled at once." These are the prominent utterances which we now hear on all sides. The country is beginning to find relief in the [illegible] and [illegible] relatively and promptly [illegible]

RESTRICTIONS.

No urgency of entreaty and [illegible] can cause enough to impress upon our President the absolute necessity of adopting the severest measures of military law to suppress the crime of desertion—now modified in official parlance into the specious phrase of "straggling." From the fatal desire of securing popularity among their commands, many of our Generals have been in the habit of utterly neglecting to enforce the fiercely-worded "orders" which have from time to time been issued on this subject. In every one of our recent battles, full a fourth, and many one full a third of the men brought on the field, fell out of ranks, and slunk away to the rear before the smoke of war had grown warm, and not an officer in our army has yet taken the responsibility of shooting down these "stragglers" in the act. In the rebel army this is not so. Every man brought on the field upon their side understands that certain and speedy death, and certain dishonor, lie to the rear; while forward, there is a certainty of honor and the great chance of escaping unhurt. As to the straggling which takes place from regiments in camp and on the march, the statistics would terrify and astound the country, if printed. Thousands upon thousands of furloughs are also given, even while in face of the enemy,—as many as thirty-four thousand men it is said, having at one time been "absent with leave" from the Peninsula, in addition to all the stragglers reported as "absent without leave." All these irregularities are offshoots of the desire on the part of certain Generals to secure the personal affections and personal adhesion of their commands, the interests of the public service being made secondary and subordinate. Cannot the President realize that mercy to the cowards and idlers who disgrace our service is the worst cruelty and injustice to the gallant fellows who remain and do their duty? In the British and French services, mounted non-commissioned officers are stationed in the rear of every line of battle, to march to meet the enemy, with instructions to shoot down instantly all men who break ranks without authority or justifying cause.

DESERTERS.

Orders have been issued by the War Department, that no more deserters be sent to the convalescent camp at Alexandria.

PIRACY ON THE POTOMAC.

The burning of a schooner on the Lower Potomac, lately announced, with the destruction, as it was supposed, of all on board, proves to have been an act of rebel piracy. She was seized by them in the night, while at anchor in the stream, the crew made prisoners and the vessel fired. The occurrence took place opposite St. George's County, Maryland, and near Mathias Point, where the channel runs close along the Virginia shore. Scouting parties visit this vicinity frequently, on the watch for fresh enterprises of the same sort. The river there should be patrolled by an armed steamer.

SMUGGLERS CAPTURED.

Several traders in contraband goods were captured on Thursday, while endeavoring to cross the Lower Potomac with a boat-load of such merchandise as is most necessary but least plentiful in the rebellious States.

Lady B. GRAGNIZE was yesterday arrested for attempting to take goods and letters South, by the Provost Marshal, and sent by Major DOSTER, the Provost-Marshal, to the old Capitol Prison.

SUPERTAXES IN DEMAND IN ENGLAND.

Speculators are beginning to command a handsome premium in Prince George's and Montgomery Counties, Maryland. A gentleman from the former county was in Washington, on Saturday, offering as high as $200 for persons willing to become substitutes for several wealthy Secessionists who have been drafted there. As a matter of course, recruiting for the District regiments here is anything but brisk, while rebels offer such bounties.

THE DRAFT IN LOWER MARYLAND.

The enrolling officers in Prince George's County, Lower Maryland, could find within its limits only 828 male persons between the ages of 18 and 45. The quota of the county is 855 under the draft; and this number were duly mustered into the National service on Wednesday last, at Lower Marlboro. Most of the wealthy Secessionists who have been drafted there, are provided with certificates of disability from the Examining Surgeon, Dr. DUVAL.

Prince George's County polled over 1,500 votes at the last Presidential election.

DEATH OF AN ORIGINAL VIRGINIA REBEL.

Maj. MOSS, Clerk of Fairfax County, Va., died at Richmond on the 9th inst. He will be remembered as a leading conspirator against the Government in the early days of rebellion in that section, and kept the records of the new County Court established after the secession of Virginia from the Union.

ORDER RELATING TO FURLOUGHS.

HEADQUARTERS DEFENCES OF WASHINGTON, Oct. 18, 1862.

GENERAL ORDER No. 6.—1. Paragraph three of General Orders No. Five, (5,) current series from these headquarters, so far as relates to furloughs on account of wounds, is intended to apply only to cases of wounds received in action.

2. A surgeon giving a certificate of disability for leave or furlough on account of wounds, will explicitly state therein the nature of the wound, when and in what engagement it was received, and the [illegible] to Indiana, and were to-day transacting the usual business of his Department.

COMMODORE NUTT AT A CABINET MEETING.

It is understood that Commodore NUTT visited the White House on Friday last, with Mr. BARNUM, and was received by the President and Cabinet at a regular meeting, and with distinguished honors. The President gracefully introduced him to the different heads of Departments, with a brief description of their several duties; after which the Commodore was dismissed with appropriate souvenirs from several of the party.

MILITARY ITEMS.

The troops on this side of the river were reviewed on Saturday afternoon on East Capitol Hill by Gens. BANKS and CASEY. They presented a magnificent appearance, going through the various evolutions of brigade drill with the precision of veterans.

Gen. VAN ALLEN, Townsend Harris, late Minister to Japan, Gen. ASMUN, and Gen. FITZ JOHN PORTER and staff are in the City.

Gen. CANBY, of New-Mexico, is *en route* for Washington, having left Santa Fé on the 21st of September.

ELECTION OF UNITED STATES SENATOR IN OHIO.

Those who apprehend that the late Democratic victory in Ohio will secure the election of a United States Senator from the same party, to occupy the seat of bluff old Ben. WADE, will be relieved on learning that the Legislature which has this duty to perform, was chosen last year.

HORSES AND MULES WANTED.

The use for mules in the army is so great as to be with difficulty supplied. Col. RUCKER advertises for two thousand, to be delivered here within twenty days.

Proposals are also invited for three thousand artillery and cavalry horses, the time for their delivery being also limited to twenty days.

PROPOSALS FOR STOVES.

Capt. HAZEN, Assistant Quartermaster, has invited proposals for furnishing the Government with one hundred large cylinder coal stoves—intended, probably for use in the hospitals.

MUSKETS RECOVERED.

A great number of muskets have been recovered by the Provost Guard from various places in Washington.

TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Monday, Oct. 20.

TAX DECISIONS AND REGULATIONS.

The following decisions have been made by the Commissioner of Internal revenue:

The phrase "kept for use," employed in reference to silver plate, is construed to except silver plate or ware kept for sale, and also that which is in possession of a family or its members as souvenirs or keepsakes. The plate properly taxable is that which has been purchased for the use of the family, or has been presented to the family as part of the household furniture, and as such is kept for use, whether for ornament or actual service. In the execution of the law, assessors are directed to allow owners of silverware to have the same weighed, and to make a report thereof.

A stamp will be required upon every certificate which has or may have a legal value in any court of law or equity.

When a manufacturer has new goods on hand at the place of manufacture, but has not taken out a license, nor kept his mill in operation since September 1, such goods are subject to duty whenever sold or removed from the place of manufacture.

In stamping promissory notes or other instruments requiring stamps under the provisions of the Excise law, stamps of a smaller amount in numbers sufficient to amount to the sum of the stamp required can be used, provided they are of the kind denominated for the particular instruments drawn.

The following decisions concern the liability of iron castings to taxation:

First—All castings which are so well and generally known as to have a commercial value, must be taxed as manufactures, when sold or removed from the manufactory.

Second—Other castings, made upon speculation of a machinist, but which are not known to the trade as manufactures in themselves, and are designed for articles subject to taxation in an advanced state, are exempt, not being manufactures in the contemplation of the law. It may be difficult to draw the line. The Assessors or Assistant Assessors' best judgment will be required. As an example, car wheels belong to the first class.

The following regulations have been issued in regard to the tax upon manufactures produced since Aug. 31, and delivered under contract of sale made prior to the 1st of July last:

First—The manufacturer will pay the duty upon such goods without regard to the fact of such contract.

Second—The manufacturer will be authorized to collect of the purchaser the amount of the taxes so paid, whenever satisfactory proof shall be furnished to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue that the contract was made prior to the 1st day of July last, and in good faith between the parties and toward the Government, and that the taxes properly assessed upon such goods or manufactures have been actually paid by the seller.

REBELS IN THE OLD CAPITOL PRISON.

A number of prisoners have been sent hither recently by Gens. SIGEL and STAHL, who, together with parties arrested for violating the thoroughfare of the Potomac River, are now confined in the Old Capitol Prison.

SECESSIONISTS EMIGRATING SOUTH.

There seems to be no difficulty in emigrating to the South. About twenty Secessionists left Washington and the neighborhood lately for the eastern shore of Maryland, where they safely crossed into Virginia.

UNION MEETING IN SYRACUSE.

Speeches by Col. Hamilton, of Texas, and Hon. Henry J. Raymond.

SYRACUSE, Monday, Oct. 20.

Wieting Hall was crowded to overflowing this evening, on the occasion of addresses by Hon. ANDREW JACKSON HAMILTON, of Texas, and Hon. HENRY J. RAYMOND. Mayor ANDREWS presided, and introduced the speakers.

Mr. HAMILTON gave a thrilling narrative of his experience at the South—his knowledge of the purposes of the rebels to strike a fatal blow at free government, and of his convictions as to the only means of ending the rebellion. His conclusion that we must fight it out, give up all hope of compromise, and rebuke the traitors at the North, was received with great favor. He avowed himself in favor of the President's proclamation, and said he was in favor of the Union before Slavery.

Mr. RAYMOND likewise made a telling speech, criticising the published addresses of Mr. SEWARD, and showing that the whole tenor of the partisan movement in this State is calculated to give aid and comfort to the enemy, unless the people shall at the ballot-box administer to it a signal defeat. He urged that we should conquer the rebels first, and settle minor difficulties afterwards; and that unless the loyal North puts its whole power into the work of conquering the rebels now, there can be but little hope for the perpetuity of free Government on this Continent.

The speeches and speakers were received with great favor, by one of the finest audiences ever assembled in this city.

Mr. RAYMOND speaks at Watertown to-morrow.

Amusements.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—The first new comedy of the season was produced at Wallack's last evening, before one of the most brilliant and crowded audiences that the theatre could comfortably hold. It—the comedy—is an English adaptation from the French, by Mr. WILGAN, and is called—as altered to suit the New-York public by Mr. LESTER WALLACK—"Bosom Friends." The bosom friends are certain acquaintances of a *Mr. Union* (Mr. LESTER WALLACK,) who variously sponge upon him—rifle with his wife, and in every other possible way contrive to impose on his green and unsuspicious nature. *Mrs. Union* (Mrs. HOEY) is not allowed by the dramatist to seriously commit herself, and the good-natured victim is finally released from the attentions of his unprofitable associates without inquiring the disagreeable necessity of quarreling with them to find them out. The only important discovery he makes is that of the actual sincerity of the only of them all about whom he [illegible] had doubts—a *Dr. Bland* (Mr. C. FISHER)—who is subsequently supposed to marry his—*Mr. Union's* daughter, *Amy*, (Miss HENRIQUES.) So slight a sketch of the plot gives very little idea of the piece, which, in fact, one of the most ingeniously constructed comedies of the improbable kind that has ever been played in the City. It reminds one considerably of a piece called "A Man of Many Friends," brought out several years ago at Mr. WALLACK's former theatre; but, though it may be taken from the same French original, it is a far more elaborate and meritorious appropriation.

Of course, it is played, in all its parts, with that near approach to perfection which is attainable only under Mr. WALLACK's skillful management. *Mr. Union* is an embodiment of the peculiar species of eccentric humor, dashed with a touch or two of pathos, which Mr. WALLACK can interpret so far better than any actor on the stage as to be beyond the reach of criticism or comparison. The character is unnatural to a degree—a mere fantastic creation of a Parisian playwright's brain—but the amusing points of it are so delicately finished, and are presented by the performer with so much keenness of perception, as to almost make it seem like a reality. Mrs. HOEY, as *Mrs. Union*, looks charming as usual, but the part is not one of which much can be legitimately made. Mr. C. FISHER, Miss HENRIQUES, Mr. JOHN GILBERT, (especially good in a selfish old gentleman who believes himself to be the soul of generosity,) Mrs. VERNON, Mr. YOUNG, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. NORTON and Miss REEVES, severally sustain their share of the distribution with ability and conscientiousness.

Justice to a Gallant Officer.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The announcement in your paper to-day of the dismissal of Capt. JOSEPH HENRIQUES from the service, for absence without leave since the commencement of the battle of Antietam, does great injustice to a deserving officer. He was present at the battle, and by a reference to your list of wounded you will find his name. He left the field but a short time before his regiment was withdrawn, bleeding and fatigued, obtained a furlough from the War Department, and since then has been honorably discharged for physical prostration, produced by the fatigues of the campaign, in which he has served for eighteen months.

Yours respectfully, ALEX. HENRIQUES.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 20, 1862.

Wants of the Sanitary Commission.

WASHINGTON, Friday, Oct. 17, 1862.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Have the goodness to announce, that in meeting the wants of the wounded of the recent series of battles, the reserve stock of the Sanitary Commission was quite exhausted of all most needed articles, and that the daily receipts since have scarcely more than enabled it to meet the most pressing continuous demands. There are now no socks, stockings or quilts in the stores of the Commission. These wants call especially for the personal labor of women. The Commission's stock of the following articles of domestic use and consumption is also quite exhausted:

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The Europa Outward Bound.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Monday, Oct. 20.

The steamship *Europa*, from Boston via Halifax, passed Cape Race at 4 P. M., Sunday. She was boarded by the Press yacht, and news from New-York to Saturday evening, with commercial telegrams through the agency of GEORGE STOKES, Esq., of New-York, placed on board.

Congressional Nomination.

TROY, N. Y., Monday, Oct. 20.

At the Democratic Congressional Convention, held in this city to-day, Hon. JOHN A. GRISWOLD, War-Democrat, was nominated for Representative to Congress from the District of Washington and Rensselaer Counties.

The Twenty-seventh Maine Regiment.

BOSTON, Monday, Oct. 20.

The Maine Twenty-seventh Regiment, Col. TARLEY, left Portland this morning for the seat of war.

MRS. LINCOLN IN THIS CITY.—Mrs. President LINCOLN and family arrived at the Metropolitan Hotel last evening.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TIMES.

THE NEW-YORK SEMI-WEEKLY TIMES is published THIS MORNING, and may be had at the counter of the publication office in wrappers ready for mailing. In addition to containing the latest intelligence by telegraph up to the moment of going to press, there will be found in the current number full details of all military movements in the different departments from the pens of our special correspondents. The Movements in State Politics, with the Election returns from all the States so far as received will be found in this morning's issue. The Sixth of Mr. HUSLBERT's Series of Letters appears in the current number. All official orders, reports and documents, and the latest and fullest Washington news, will be found in the SEMI-WEEKLY TIMES. European news, with graphic letters from our correspondents in London and Paris, is made a special and permanent feature. In addition to editorials on all the current topics of the day, the SEMI-WEEKLY TIMES has a page of carefully prepared commercial matter, giving the latest financial news and market reports; items of agricultural and domestic interest, compiled from sources many of which are otherwise inaccessible to the American reader; and marriages and deaths of the week.

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VALLOTTON—SHIELLS.—On Thursday, Oct. 16, by Rev. Dr. Hatfield, JAMES L. VALLOTTON to ELIZABETH, daughter of the late Robert Shiells.

DIED

BRYAN.—At West Neck, Huntington, L. I., on Friday, Oct. 17, GEORGE, son of Edward K. and C. L. Bryan, aged 4 years, 7 months and 5 days.

CARPENTER.—In Polo, Ill., on Friday, Oct. 10, JAMES W. CARPENTER, son of Henry Carpenter, of Somerstown, Westchester County, N. Y., aged 31 years, 3 months and 10 days.

FLORENTINE.—On Sunday, Oct. 19, from wounds received at the battle of Antietam, Capt. ABRAHAM FLORENTINE, Jr., of Company K, Fifty-ninth Regiment New-York Volunteers, and late a member of Company D, Seventy-first Regiment N. Y. S. M., in the 30th year of his age.

His friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his family, No. 174 Canal-st., this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 1 o'clock. His remains will be interred in Greenwood Cemetery.

FRIEDER.—In Brooklyn, E. D., on Sunday, Oct. 19, JOHN H., youngest son of George and the late Phebe Ann Pesinger, in the 23d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the members of Victory Fire Engine Company, No. 12, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his brother, George W. Pesinger, No. 188 Johnson-st., Brooklyn, E. D., this (Tuesday) afternoon, Oct. 21, at 2½ o'clock, without further invitation.

STEVENS.—At White Plains, on Monday morning, Oct. 20, suddenly, DAVID STEVENS, a native of Kerri Muir, Scotland, in the 51st year of his age.

His remains will be taken to Cocksackie, Greene County, for interment. Funeral services will take place this day, (Tuesday,) at 3½ P. M., at his late residence. His friends and acquaintance, and those of his brothers, William and James Stevens, are invited to attend, without further notice. Cars leave 30th-st. for White Plains at 10½ A. M.

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AS COOK.—A SITUATION WANTED, BY A RESpectable woman, as first-class cook in a private family; best of City reference can be given. Call at No. 5 West 4th-st.

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AS COOK, &c.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS good plain cook, washer and ironer; has good City reference. Call at No. 32 Tillary-st., between Adams and Pearl sts., Brooklyn, for two days.

AS A FIRST-CLASS COOK.—WANTED A situation in a private family, as a first-class cook, by a neat lady; would help at the washing and iron her if required; understands making soups, poultry and small pastry; has good City reference. Call, during two days, at No. 16 Hamilton-st., between Washington and Clinton sts., in the rear.

AS FIRST-CLASS COOK.—A SITUATION wanted, by a young woman as first-class cook; she understands French, English and American cooking; is an excellent baker of bread and pastry; can give the best of City references. Apply at No. 61 12th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.

AS FIRST-CLASS COOK.—WANTED, BY A respectable woman, a situation as a first-class cook in a private family; best of City references can be given. Call for two days at No. 2 West 29th-st.

AS GOOD COOK, WASHER AND IRONER—has lived in England several years, a situation as good cook, washer and ironer; has the best of City reference. Call at No. 446 8th-av., corner of 30th-st., first floor, front room.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, GENtleman's or family washing. The advertiser is an experienced laundress; best of City references can be given. Call for three days, at No. 111 West 26th-st., second floor, back room.

GOOD SERVANTS IN GREAT ABUNDANCE and variety, with investigated characters and qualifications, may be found at the Employments Society's Office, 52 Clinton Hall-st., corner of 8th-st., a few doors east of Broadway. (formerly at the Bible House.) German, Dutch, French and Italian languages spoken. Rev. WM. DEWARENT, Superintendent.

A BUNDANCE OF GOOD, SELECT SERVANTS to be had, civil, neat and capable, at the large, old-established Institute, on the corner 6th-av. and 13th-st., for German, Irish, English, Protestant and American women. Conducted by Mrs. FLOYD. Good placed always ready.

AT THE OLD OFFICE, NO. 149 GRANDst.—All private families, hotels, boarding-houses furnished with good servants for City and country—good cooks, cooks, washers and ironers, and first-class Mrs. cook, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, nurses, girls fit for housework, small girls and those lately landed, men servants. Wanted, a number of first-class servants.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND PLAIN SEWER.—Wanted, by a Protestant young woman, a situation as chambermaid and plain sewer, or would go as regular waitress in a private family; has excellent reference both from City and country. Call for two days at No. 188 3d-av., in the fancy store. A respectable place preferred to high wages. Would like to go a short distance in the country.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—Wanted, a situation, by a respectable Protestant woman, to do light chamberwork and sewing; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; or as companion to an old lady; can give the best of references; has lived over two years in her last place. Address J. M., Box No. 189 Times office.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, BY A respectable young woman, a situation as chambermaid and assist in the laundry if required; can give the most satisfactory City reference from where she has lived for the last two years as to neatness and capability. Can be seen for two days, at No. 276 6th-av., two doors from 17th-st., New-York.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—A RESPECTABLE English Protestant girl wants a situation to do chamberwork and waiting, or chamberwork and plain sewing in a small private family; has good City references. Can be seen for two days at No. 18 West 22d-st., corner of 6th-av., second floor.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, BY A young girl, 14 years of age, a situation to do chamberwork, or to learn to do waiting; a respectable home more of an object than high wages. Call at No. 140 State-st., Brooklyn.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, A SITuation by a Protestant young woman as chambermaid and to do the fine washing, or as laundress; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 23 West 22d-st., where she has lived for the last six years.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—A young girl wants a situation to do light chamberwork and waiting, in a private family; has the very best of reference from her last place. Can be seen for two days at No. 146 West 22d-st., between 7th and 8th avs., second floor, front room.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—A SITUATION wanted, by a Protestant woman, as chambermaid and seamstress, or waitress. Best of City reference. Can be seen for two days, at No. 345 6th-av., in the shoe-store, between 26th and 27th sts.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, A SITuation by a respectable young woman, as chambermaid and waitress, or chambermaid and laundress; the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 173 East 14th-st., between 1st and 2d avs.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, by a respectable young girl, a situation to do chamberwork and waiting in a private family; has the best of City references from her last place. Call at No. 106½ East 26th-st., near 3d-av.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—A situation wanted, by a respectable young woman, as chambermaid and waitress; has the best of City reference. Call at No. 169 West 15th-st., in the rear.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND NURSE.—Wanted, a situation by a young girl, as chambermaid and nurse; good City reference can be given, by calling at No. 37 East 9th-st., Room No. 11, for two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—Wanted, a situation by a young girl as seamstress and chambermaid; has two years' reference from her late employer; best City reference will be given by calling at No. 139 East 19th-st., for two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, a situation, by a respectable young woman, as chambermaid and waitress in a small private family; has the best of City reference. Call at No. 230 4th-st., second door from Macdougal-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID, AND TO DO FINE WASHING.—A situation wanted by a young girl, or will do nursing; best of reference given. Apply for two days at No. 60 West 17th-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, A SITuation by a young girl as chambermaid and seamstress, or chambermaid and laundress. Best of City reference from her last place. Apply at No. 40 East 22d-st., between 4th and Madison avs.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, BY A young woman, a situation as chambermaid and plain sewer; can do embroidery; is willing to take care of a child; has five years' City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 243 West 30th-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—A respectable girl wants a situation as chambermaid and seamstress; will make herself agreeable in every respect; has the best of City reference. Apply at No 34 Mercer-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, BY A competent, tidy woman, with excellent City reference, a situation as chambermaid and to do fine washing and ironing; muslins and finery in fashionable style; or as regular laundress; does fluting and mangling; wages $3 a month. Call at No. 184 East 21st-st., or send a note, for two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, BY A respectable Protestant young woman, a situation to do chamberwork and sewing; would assist with the care of children; can do up ladies' fine washing; has the best of City reference. Call, for two days, at No. 40 32d-st., between 4th and Madison avs., first floor, back room.

AS CHAMBERMAID.—A RESPECTABLE young woman, with five years' reference from her last place, wishes a situation as chambermaid; is willing to assist with washing or do plain waiting in a small family. Can be seen for two days. Call at No. 202 7th-av., between 29th and 30th sts.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—SITUATION wanted as chambermaid, and to help at the washing and ironing, or as chambermaid, waitress, &c., by a very competent girl, with good City reference. Call at No. 125 Clinton-place, 8th-st., third floor, back room, during two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—A respectable girl wants a situation as chambermaid and waitress; can be seen for two days; can give the best of City reference from her last place, No. 11 West 19th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—A SITUATION wanted, by a respectable Protestant young woman, as chambermaid, to assist in washing and ironing, or to take care of children; good City reference given. Can be seen for two days at No. 110 East 27th-st., near 3d-av.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, A SITuation by a young woman as chambermaid and to assist with the washing and ironing, or plain sewing; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days, at No. 26 East 19th-st., near Broadway.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—A RESPECTABLE young woman wishes a situation as chambermaid, and to do fine washing and ironing; or as chambermaid and waitress; good City reference will be given. Apply at No. 111 West 15th-st., front house, back basement, near 6th-av. Can be seen for two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, a situation, by a respectable young woman, who thoroughly understands her business, as chambermaid and waitress in a private family; has good City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 124 West 32d-st., top floor.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND LAUNDRESS.—Wanted, by a competent young woman, a situation as chambermaid and laundress; does French fluting; the best of City reference given. Can be seen at No. 273 6th-av., near 19th-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—Wanted, a situation, by a respectable Protestant girl, as chambermaid and seamstress, or chambermaid and waitress, or would do fine washing; good reference given; can be seen, for two days, at her present employer's, No. 48 West 32d-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—A respectable young girl wishes a situation as chambermaid and waitress, or as nurse; the best of City reference can be given. Call at No. 103 West 24th-st., between 7th and 8th avs. for three days.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—A situation wanted, by a respectable young girl, as chambermaid and waitress. Good city reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 383 6th-av., 3d floor.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND LAUNDRESS.—Wanted, a situation by a respectable Protestant girl, as chambermaid and laundress, or to do plain sewing. Can be seen for two days at her last place, No. 64 East 21st-st., near 4th-av. Best of City references.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, a situation by a respectable young woman as chambermaid and waitress, or chambermaid and laundress; best of City references. Can be seen for two days at No. 186 3d-av., between 16th and 17th-sts.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—Wanted, a situation, by a respectable young woman as chambermaid and seamstress; has no objections to plain washing; the best of City reference given if required. Apply at No. 344 6th-av.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, by a competent girl, a situation as chambermaid and waitress, or to take care of a child over two years and sew. Apply at her present employer's, No. 18 University-place, for one day.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, A SITuation by a respectable young woman, to do chamberwork, and fine washing and ironing, or waiting; has satisfactory reference. Can be seen at No. 34 32d-st., between the 4th-av. and Lexington-av., for two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID, &c.—WANTED, A SITuation, by a Protestant young woman, to do chamberwork, and assist to wash and iron. Call at No. 417 6th-av., for two days; the best of City reference if required.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted a situation, by a respectable Protestant girl, as chambermaid and waitress, in a private family; has good reference. Can be seen, for two days, at No. 64 1st-av., corner of 5th-st., 2d floor, over the liquor store.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—A respectable young girl wants a situation to do chamberwork and waiting or to mind children and sew; is willing to make herself generally useful; has good City references. Apply at No. 123 7th-av., between 20th and 21st sts.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, a situation by a respectable Protestant girl, to do chamberwork and waiting. Call at, or address, No. 23 West 12th-st.

AS GENERAL HOUSEMAID.—A RESPECTable young girl, places a situation to do general housework in a small private family, or would do chamberwork and plain sewing. Has first rate City reference from her last place. Call at No. 204 East 21st-st., 2d floor front room.

AS GENERAL HOUSEMAID.—A MIDDLE-aged Scotchwoman wants a situation to do general housework, by the day or month; a good steady home wanted in a small family; good City reference given. Apply, for three days, at No. 413 West 28th-st., 2d floor, front room.

AS GENERAL HOUSEWORKER.—WANTed, by a young girl, a situation to do general housework; best of City reference. Apply at No. 40 East 22d-st., for two days.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

AS NURSE.—A WOMAN OF EXPERIENCE AND respectability wishes a situation in a permanent family, being fully competent to take the full charge of an infant and growing children; has fine sewing and embroidery; has lived in the employ of Spanish and Italians; will be found baby willing in the discharge of her duties; good City reference. Can be seen at No. 111½ West 26th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

AS NURSE.—WANTED, BY A COMPETENT English person, a situation as nurse; would take entire charge of a baby from its birth, or would take charge of an invalid; or as seamstress and cut out and fit children's clothing, and do all kinds of family sewing; no objection to the country; City reference. Call for two days at No. 251 7th-av.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—A PROTestant young woman, lately come from Ireland, desires a situation as nurse and can cut out and fit children's clothing, and do all kinds of family sewing; also can do general housework in a small family. Call at No. 476, corner 24th-st. and 9th-av., on the third floor.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—A PROTestant female wants a situation to take care of children, cut and fit their clothes, embroider; also, teach their lessons under 12 years, or light chamberwork. Satisfactory City reference given. Inquire at No. 113 West 15th-st., near 6th-av., second floor.

AS NURSE, &c.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY a respectable girl as nurse and seamstress, or would travel with a lady; has no objections to the country; the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 44 30th-st., between Broadway and 6th-av.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—WANTED, a situation as nurse and seamstress, by a competent Protestant young woman; can take care of a baby from its birth; has no objection to go a short distance in the country; has good City reference from her last place. Can be seen at No. 113 West 15th-st., near 6th-av.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—WANTED, by a respectable young woman, a situation as nurse and seamstress; can do all kinds of sewing; understands waiting, or would go as chambermaid in a private family; good City reference. Call for two days at No. 242 West 15th-st., between 7th and 8th avs.

AS NURSE.—WANTED, BY A PROTESTANT woman, a situation as nurse; can take the entire charge of an infant from its birth; an infant preferred; has the best of City references. Can be seen for two days at 363 6th-av., corner of 19th-st., in the milliner's store.

AS NURSE, &c.—WANTED, BY A YOUNG woman, a situation as nurse and seamstress, or chambermaid; can take the entire charge of an infant from its birth; best City reference. Apply or address NURSE, No. 146 East 22d-st., south-east corner of 22d-st. and 2d-av., third floor.

AS NURSE.—A SITUATION WANTED, BY A respectable young woman as nurse for a baby. She is accustomed to the care of children. Can be seen at her present situation, No. 25 East 22d-st., where she has lived five years.

AS NURSE, &c.—A COMPETENT PERSON wishes a situation as nurse and seamstress, or chambermaid and seamstress; understands operating on Wheeler & Wilson's sewing-machine. Call at No. 212 7th-av., between 24th and 25th sts.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—A PROTestant young woman wants a situation as nurse and seamstress; is a good operator; is willing and obliging; has good City reference. Call for two days at No. 15 Union-court, University-place, between 11th and 12th sts.

AS NURSE.—WANTED, BY A RESPECTABLE woman, a situation as nurse; fully competent to take charge of an infant from its birth; has no objection to assist in chamberwork or plain sewing; best of City reference. Call, for two days, at No. 122 East 25th-st.

AS NURSE.—WANTED, BY A RESPECTABLE Protestant woman, a situation as nurse; can take care of a baby from its birth; is a good plain sewer; best of City references. Call at her last place, No. 255 West 21st-st., between 9th and 10th-avs.

AS NURSE OR CHAMBERMAID.—WANTed, by a young woman, a situation as nurse or chambermaid; is capable of taking care of an infant. Can be seen at her present situation, No. 40 West 32d-st.

AS NURSE OR CHAMBERMAID.—WANTed, a situation by a young girl, as nurse or chambermaid; has the best of City reference from her last place. Call for two days at No. 110 West 24th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

AS NURSE, &c.—A COMPETENT WOMAN, a particularly fond of children, wishes a situation as nurse and family sewer in a genteel family, or to assist in other work if required. Call at No. 210 West 25th-st., first floor; can be seen for two days.

AS CHILDREN'S NURSE, &c.—WANTED, by a respectable young woman, a situation to mind children, or to assist in housework, or to make herself generally useful. Call at No. 137 East 11th-st., between Avenues A and B.

AS CHILDREN'S NURSE, CHAMBERMAID, &c.—Situations wanted by two respectable girls, one to take care of children, and one as chambermaid and to do waiting. Can be seen for 2 days at No. 146 3d-av.

AS CHILDREN'S NURSE.—WANTED, BY A respectable young girl, a situation as children's nurse; understands all kinds of embroidery and plain sewing; the best of City reference given. Inquire at No. 216 East 13th-st. for two days.

AS ASSISTANT CHILDREN'S NURSE.—Wanted, by a respectable young girl, aged 14 years, a situation to assist in taking care of children, or to do the waiting of a small family; the best of City reference. Inquire at No. 242 7th-av.

AS GERMAN NURSERY GOVERNESS.—A respectable young person, who can teach the German and French languages, who is well qualified to take proper care of children, and who can do all kinds of sewing and embroidery, wishes a situation. Apply at the Employment Society's Office, Clinton Hall, Astor-place, a few doors east of Broadway.

AS SEAMSTRESS, &c.—LAUNDRESS, &c.—Situations wanted, by two respectable Protestant women, sisters, to go together in one family, or separately if not wanted together, one as seamstress and dressmaker, who understands all kinds of family sewing; would have no objection to wait on a lady, or assist with light chamberwork if required; the other as laundress and chambermaid, or would take care of children and do chamberwork; both can produce the best of City references. Call at No. 460 6th-av., near 28th-st., for two days.

AS SEAMSTRESS OR LADY'S MAID.—Wanted, by a Protestant girl, a situation as seamstress or lady's maid; would be willing to take care of one or two children; can cut and fit ladies' and children's dresses, and can do all kinds of family sewing and embroidering; can operate upon Wheeler & Wilson's machine; no objection to travel; the best of City reference given. Can be seen until engaged at No. 31 West 12th-st.

AS SEAMSTRESS, &c.—A TRUSTWORTHY and experienced woman of middle age wishes a situation in a gentleman's family. She is a thorough seamstress and has a good knowledge of housekeeping; would be found a very useful and desirable person to any one requiring her services; undeniable character. Can be seen in the fancy store No. 1,247 Broadway, between 30th and 31st sts.

AS SEAMSTRESS.—A SITUATION WANTED by a very respectable young woman as seamstress; can cut and fit children's and ladies' plain dresses and operate on Grover & Baker's machine; would have no objection to assist with light chamberwork; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 96 West 30th-st., near 6th-av., in the store.

AS SEAMSTRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION with family sewing; no objections to light chamberwork or waiting on a lady; a home preferred to high wages; good City reference given. Call or send to No. 111 West 15th st., front house, back basement, between 6th and 7th avs.

AS SEAMSTRESS.—A HIGHLY RESPECTable young Scotch woman desires a situation in a first-class family; is a competent seamstress and dressmaker; can cut and fit, and do all kinds of family sewing; is willing to assist with chamberwork; best of City references. Apply, for two days, at No. 117 4th-av.

AS SEAMSTRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION, by a Protestant woman as seamstress; understands dressmaking. Call at No. 60 West 20th-st.

AS DRESSMAKER.—A FIRST-CLASS DRESSmaker will work out by the day, by leaving orders at No. 234 6th-av. Reference given of ability, &c.

AS LAUNDRESS, &c.—A YOUNG WOMAN wishes a situation in a private family as first-class laundress, or would have no objection to do chamberwork or fine washing; can do up fine washing and French fluting in the neatest manner; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for three days at No. 125 West 56th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

AS LAUNDRESS.—AN ACTIVE YOUNG WOman wishes a situation as first-class laundress; understands all kinds of fine washing and French fluting; or would do chamberwork and fine washing; has best of City reference. Call for two days at No. 15 Union Court, University-place, between 11th and 12th sts.

AS LAUNDRESS.—WANTED, BY A FIRST-rate laundress, a situation in a private family; one who thoroughly understands her business, and can give the best of City reference from her last place. Call at No. 126 West 19th-st., near 7th-av.

AS LAUNDRESS.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL wants a situation in a private family as laundress. She is a good, capable servant; understands her business perfectly and has excellent City reference from her last place. Call at No. 228 11th-av., between 24th and 25th sts.

AS LAUNDRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION, by a respectable young girl, as laundress in a private family; understands French fluting and clear starching; the best of City reference from her last place. Call at No. 67 East 16th-st. Can be seen for two days.

AS LAUNDRESS, &c.—A SITUATION WANTed, by a respectable woman, as laundress, or as chambermaid and fine washer; has lived with some of the best families in the city; good reference given. Call, for two days, at No. 96 West 24th-st., over the store.

AS LAUNDRESS, &c.—WANTED, BY A young girl, a situation as laundress and chambermaid, or general housework; best City reference given. Call at No. 139 East 19th-st.

AS HOUSEKEEPER.—WANTED, A SITUAtion as housekeeper by a middle-aged female, who is an excellent housekeeper and is a good economist. She is not above making herself useful, and is capable of taking the charge of a well-ordered household; also understands the care and superintendence of children. She is a good needlewoman. The best of reference given. Call or address B. M., No. 38 Carroll-st., South Brooklyn, for three days.

AS HOUSEKEEPER.—WANTED, A SITUAtion by a middle-aged widow lady; is competent to take entire charge of a family of children; is accustomed to the care of the sick and of children; references of the highest respectability will be given and required. Address Mrs. MERCHANT, Box No. 2,003 Post-office.

AS MATRON.—A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT woman wishes a situation as matron to a public institution. She can give satisfactory testimonials of character and qualifications. Can be seen at No. 149 West 30th-st., or address Mrs. E. SMITH.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

AS GENERAL HOUSEWORKER.—WANTed, a situation, by a young girl, to do general housework; is a small family; or to do chamberwork and waiting and assist in washing and ironing; is a very good embroiderer. Call at No. 50 East 12th-st., or at No. 48 Thompson-st., top floor, rear house.

AS WAITRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY a young girl as first-class waitress; or would do chamberwork and fine washing and ironing; would have no objection to go in the country; has the best of City reference from her last place. Can be seen, for two days, at No. 25 West 20th-st.

AS WAITRESS OR NURSE.—WANTED, BY a respectable female, a situation as waitress and chambermaid; would assist in washing if required; no objection to the country; best of City reference can be given. Call at No. 230 6th-av., between 16th and 17th sts., second floor, for two days.

AS WAITRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY a respectable young woman in a private family as first-class waitress; thoroughly understands her business in all its branches; best of City reference from her last place. Can be seen for two days at No. 67 West 32d-st., near 6th-av.

AS WAITRESS OR CHAMBERMAID.—A Protestant young woman wishes a situation as first-class waitress or chambermaid; fully understands either; no objection to go a short distance in the country. Call at No. 165 West 16th-st., in the rear.

AS WAITRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY a respectable young woman as first-class waitress; the best of City reference. Call, for two days, at No. 241 Elizabeth-st., second floor, front room.

AS WAITRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY a respectable young woman as first-class waitress in a private family; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days, at No. 164 East 18th-st., between 1st and 2d avs.

AS WAITRESS.—A YOUNG GIRL WISHES A situation as waitress, or would do chamberwork and take care of children; has two years' City references. Call at No. 187 West 16th-st.

MALES.

AS COACHMAN AND GARDENER.—WANTed, a situation as coachman and gardener, by a respectable English married man; has the best of City reference; can milk; is willing, civil and obliging; City and country references. Address T. P., Box No. 197 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN AND GARDENER.—A SITuation wanted by a respectable young man as coachman and gardener, who thoroughly understands his business; best of reference from his last employer. Address M. F., Box No. 194 Times Office, for two days.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, a situation as coachman and groom, by a man of long experience; has the best of references; has lived between 6 and 7 years in his last situation; has no objection to go in the country. Any gentleman wanting such a man may address for two days: J. D. E., Box 198 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION as coachman, by a respectable man of long experience in this City; has lived with some of the first-class families in this City; can give the best of City reference as to character and capability. Can be seen, or address COACHMAN, No. 410 Broadway, at Mr. Lawrence's coach factory.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, A situation as coachman and groom, by a man who understands his business to the treatment of horses; is a careful driver; can get the best of City reference. Address N. Y., Box No. 209 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, BY A YOUNG man, a situation as coachman, or would be willing to take charge of a small garden; he thoroughly understands his business, and can produce the best of City reference from his last employer. Address M. F., Box No. 208 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS coachman by a single man (English); has the best of City reference as to sobriety, capability, &c.; has no objection to any part of the country. A note addressed to J. B., at R. Campbell's saddlery, No. 50 4th-av., or Box No. 194 Times Office, will be attended to; or can be seen as above.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, by a respectable young man, a situation as coachman and groom; understands his business thoroughly, and willing to make himself generally useful; best of City and country reference. Address COACHMAN, Box No. 198 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—A GENTLEMAN WISHES to get a situation for his coachman, as he has no further use for him; can recommend him to know his business; is willing and obliging. Apply at No. 46 East 26th-st., or address P. E., Box No. 181 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS coachman; has had long experience in England and in the United States; understands everything in the proper treatment of horses and carriages; the best of City reference. Address P. G., Box No. 220 Times Office, or apply at No. 61 West 32d-st., at saddler's. Can be seen for two days.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY an Protestant young man, who thoroughly understands his business, and has the best of recommendations from gentlemen in the city whom he has lived, as to character and capability. Has no objection to the country. Address J. S., Box No. 103 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, BY A YOUNG man, a situation as coachman; understands the business in all its branches, and is a good careful driver; can furnish the best of City reference. Address, for three days, J. C., No. 1,264 Broadway.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—A SITUAtion wanted by a respectable young man as coachman and groom; is a careful driver and understands his business thoroughly; will be found willing and obliging; no objection to the country and has the best of reference. Address M. C., Box No. 195 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION as coachman, by a Protestant, with good City reference. A line addressed to J. L., at Mr. Stilling's harness store, No. 1,186 Broadway, will be attended to.

AS COACHMAN, &c.—A SITUATION WANTed, by a Protestant man, as coachman, or to take charge of a gentleman's country seat; is a good driver, and can give the best of testimonials. Address W. D., Box No. 208 Times Office, for two days.

AS COACHMAN.—A SITUATION WANTED, AS coachman by a Protestant; he is a good driver and has the best of references; is a good gardener, and can milk or make himself useful. Address J. M., Box No. 194 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, by a respectable young man, a situation as coachman and groom; understands his business thoroughly; is a careful driver; good City references. Call for two days at No. 25 Rose-st., in the grocery store.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, BY A YOUNG married man, a situation as coachman; he understands his business perfectly, and can produce the best of references. Call at the feed-store, No. 28 East 19th-st., near Broadway.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS coachman with a private family; understands the business complete, and all its branches; no objection to assisting in garden; prefers the country. Address JAMES, Box No. 184 Times Office.

AS COACHMAN.—AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT man desires a situation as coachman; is an excellent groom, careful driver and can give unexceptionable references. Apply at BOOKHAM & BEDELL'S, 307 4th-av.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED A situation, by a single man, as coachman and groom in a private family; understands his business thoroughly, and can produce the best of City reference. Address J. M., No. 72 Bleecker-st., at Mr. Lowden's saddlery store.

AS GROOM AND COACHMAN.—WANTED a situation, by a young man who understands his business thoroughly in the care and management of valuable horses, as groom and coachman; he is not afraid of hard work. Can give first class City references. Address G. S., Box No. 199 Times Office.

AS GROOM AND COACHMAN.—WANTED, a situation as groom and coachman, by a man who is perfectly acquainted with his business, and can come well recommended for sobriety and careful driving; would be found useful to his employer, and has no objection to City or country. A note addressed to W. C., Box No. 123 Times Office, for two days, will be attended to.

AS WAITER.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS first-class waiter in a private family, by a highly respectable Protestant man, who is thoroughly efficient in business in every respect; has excellent City recommendations. Can be seen, until engaged, at No. 248 East 31st-st., third floor, front room.

AS WAITER.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS waiter in a private family, by one who understands his business in all its branches; has no objections to a private Boarding-house; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for the space of two days at No. 54 12th-st., or No. 876 Broadway.

AS WAITER.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS waiter, in a private family, by a competent servant; can produce long and satisfactory City reference. Address M. C., No. 681 Broadway, corner Amity-st., or Box No. 190 Times Office, for two days.

AS WAITER.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS waiter in a private family by a competent servant; no objection to city or country; a good home and permanent situation wanted. Can be seen till engaged at No. 28 East 19th-st., near Broadway.

AS CARE-TAKER.—A RESPECTABLE FAMIly of two persons, living on Staten Island, would like to take charge of a gentleman's house and place during the Winter months. Clifton, S. I., preferred. Address CARE-TAKER, Box No. 195 Times Office.

AS GARDENER.—SITUATION WANTED BY A single man as gardener, who thoroughly understands his business, green-house, laying out grounds, &c.; understands the care and management of horses and cattle; would make himself useful around a gentleman's place. Address A. B., Box No. 218 Times Office.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO MERCHANTS, MANUFACTURERS, AND BUSINESS MEN IN GENERAL.—A practical business man, quick accountant, rapid, plain penman and book-keeper, having undoubted references, desires a situation, stationary or traveling. A line to EXCELSIOR, City Post-office, promptly attended to.

A PARTY OF MANY YEARS' EXPERIENCE in business in this city, of good address, and of active business habits, is willing to devote his whole time, or a portion of it, to any party desiring his services. Will attend to the collecting of bills, writing of every description, either for the public, or a private, political, or mercantile nature; he will also introduce any new business to the public. Moderate compensation only expected. A line to H, Box No. 180 Times office, will receive immediate attention.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

MALES.

AS GARDENER AND LAND AGENT.—A situation wanted by a Scotchman as gardener and land agent, having had much experience in all the branches of his profession; understands thoroughly the culture of plants, hot grape vine and the grapery; also a good vine grower; is thoroughly competent to take charge of any gentleman's place. N. B.—Best of references and place accepted. For particulars address R. V., John Dick, Esq., No. 1,126 Market-st., Philadelphia.

AS GARDENER.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS gardener by a young man who thoroughly understands his business; is a good coachman and careful driver, if required; can be seen for three days by addressing R. D., Box No. 190 Times Office. The best City reference.

HELP WANTED.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—IN A PRIVATE family, a practical New-England woman, to take an active part in household affairs; she must understand providing for a family, be accustomed to direct servants, a superior cook, and not afraid of work; undoubted reference required as to capacity and integrity. Address for one week, Mrs. L. W. JAMES, Station G, Post-office.

A GENERAL HOUSEKEEPER.—WANTED, a Protestant woman, to go into the country, to do general housework in a gentleman's family. She must be a good plain cook, wash and iron well; other help in the house; a good home will be found; no Catholic need apply. Call at No. 12 Bowery,

MEDICAL.

MATRIMONIAL HAPPINESS.

THE GREAT medical expositor, Dr. E. A. BANKS, is about a reliable book of treatises, that will generally benefit every class of mankind, married or single, relating to the physical and social psychic.

THIRTEENTH EDITION, price 25 cents.—The well-known remedies for the most complicated diseases in all their stages, and as positive of the system, may be procured in person from Dr. BANKS, Professor of the Medical College of Philadelphia, at his Office, No. 104 Bleecker-st., near the Bowery, New-York. Hours from 11 till 2, and from 4 till 8.

PRIVATE DISEASES CURED IN THE shortest possible time, by Dr. WARD & CO., No. 13 Laight-st., near Canal, without the use of Mercury, loss of time or exposure of diet. Dr. WARD, from the hospitals of London, Paris and Edinburgh, is the discoverer of the only remedies ever compiled for diseases of a private character, in 24 hours; patients he has cured may name or Secret Diseases and Wrong Treatment than all other combined. I can and will cure you in less time and expense than any one can or will, and then you have no fear of their coming back to injure you. If you have lost your manhood, or have any special error, I have by far more experience in a branch of medical science in a cure than any other. Office, No. 13 Laight-st. Dr. WARD's French Preventive, the greatest invention of the age. Those who have used them are never without them. Price, 25 per dozen; mailed free on receipt of the price. Address Dr. WARD, No. 13 Laight-st.

DR. COOPER, NO. 14 DUANE-ST., MAY BE consulted with confidence on private diseases. Thirty years in one specialty enable him to guarantee a speedy and permanent cure. N. B.—Those who may have been injured by quackish advertisements and lotteries, can call on Dr. C. with the certainty of receiving honorable treatment.

FOUND AT LAST.—THE ONLY SAFE, CERTAIN and sure remedy for either single or married ladies in regulating and removing all obstructions. Dr. POWERS' French Periodical Drops. Therefore every lady should use them. Designed expressly for obstinate cases which all other remedies of the kind have failed to cure. Office No. 12 Laight-st.

FOR GENTLEMEN'S USE.—FRENCH INDIA RUBBER GOODS.—Four different articles. Prices 25 and 50 cents each; $2 and $3 per dozen. For descriptive circular, call on or address MAGKEY & CO., No. 81 Nassau-st., N. B.—Beware of unprincipled parties who copy our advertisement to mislead the public.

SULPHUR AND VAPOR BATHS—ESTABLISHED IN 1858.—The only genuine baths in the United States, at No. 1 Carroll-place, Bleecker-st., corner of Laurens, near the Bowery. Open all the year. Medical Advice, 50 cents. Given daily by Dr. A. L. THOMLAT & CO.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.—EXCLUSIVE treatment of diseases of females. Patients from a distance provided with private board. Marriage Adv. Remedy for monthly suppression, 10 to 20 days. Relief guaranteed. Dr. THIERS, No. 1,317 Broadway.

SOMETHING FOR LADIES.—DR. COX'S Queen Secret, the great periodical remedy for the impedimental secret of month, is unfailing. Office, No. 36 Lewis-st., near Bleecker. Ladies can consult Dr. COX daily. Hours from 9 to 7.

SOMETHING FOR EVERY LADY.—DR. WARD'S Great Female Remedy, or Golden Regulating Pills. Infallible in Correcting, Regulating and Removing all Obstructions, from whatever cause, designed for the legitimate purpose, they have the unmitigated field, and they will remove the most obstinate patient. Office, No. 13 Laight-st., where Dr. WARD can be consulted, confidentially, day and evening.

RUSSIAN BATH—NO. 68 EAST 27TH-ST.—Reopened—now over two years in successful operation against colds, coughs, rheumatism, neuralgia, cutaneous and other diseases. Open daily, 9 A. M. till 7 P. M. Wednesday and Saturday till 10 P. M.—Sunday, till 2 P. M. For ladies daily, except Sunday, 1 P. M. to 5 P. M. THEO. GEBEKE.

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AN ACT OF GRATITUDE.—20,000 COPIES of a medical book for gratuitous circulation, by a sufferer, who has been effectually cured of nervous debility, loss of memory and dimness of sight, resulting from early folly and its consequences. This work, given in a medical work, considers it his duty, in gratitude to the author, and for the benefit of consumptives and nervous sufferers, to publish the means used. He will, therefore, send free to any address, on receipt of two 3-cent stamps, a copy of the work, containing the prescription required. Address Box No. 579 Post-office, Albany, N. Y.

MME. DESFARD'S FEMALE MONTHLY PILLS are the only reliable medicine for married or single ladies can depend on with safety and certainty. Can be sent by mail in any part of the United States and Canada. N. B.—Ladies who desire to avail themselves of Mme. DESFARD'S valuable, certain and safe mode of removing obstructions, can consult the Dr., &c., without the use of medicine, or can do so at her interview. Residence, No. 181 4th-av., corner 11th-st.

SURE CURE.—DR. POWERS, SUCCESSFULLY consulted with Dr. WARD, No. 13 Laight-st. He gives advice free, and guarantees an immediate cure or no pay. Cheap enough for the poorest. Dr. POWERS' sure remedies for syphilitic, mercurial or all diseases of a private character, in 24 hours, positively, and he will cure you in less time and expense than any one can or will, and then you have no fear of their coming back to injure your health. Call if you have lost your manhood, or have any special error. I have by far more experience in a branch of medical science in a cure than any other. Office, No. 13 Laight-st. Dr. POWERS' French Preventive, the greatest invention of the age. Those who have used them are never without them. Price, 25 per dozen; mailed free on receipt of the price. Address Dr. POWERS, No. 13 Laight-st.

CONSUMPTION, COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, Bronchitis, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Spasms, &c., are instantly relieved by that marvelous remedy known as CHLORODYNE, which was discovered by Dr. Chas. Brown, M. R. C. S. L., (Ex-Army Medical Staff,) and the secret of its recipe confided only to J. T. Davenport, Pharmaceutical Chemist, No. 33 Great Russell-st., Bloomsbury-square, who is the sole manufacturer. Medical testimony, furnished by the highest authorities in military, naval and civil practice, and numerous gratifying statements from the public generally, establish this property as invaluable. It relieves pain, soothes the system, induces refreshing and nothing sleep, without producing or having any unpleasant effects like opium, and may be taken at any hour, in a few drops for any period of time. The genuine has the words "Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne" engraved on the Government stamp. None other is pure. Price 2s. 9d. &c. 4s. a bottle. Agent, New-York,

MR. JAMES ASPINWALL, William-st.

H. BOSTWICK, M. D.—PHYSICIAN, OPERATING and consulting surgeon and lecturer on diseases of the genital organs of both sexes, has just published a valuable work on sexual diseases, impotency, weak complaints, &c., &c., and it is, without doubt, the most truthful work ever published. Only 25 cents. Daily in the course of a medical work of 1 hour to the age. Price, $1. Dr. B. is also the author of a large, splendid book on private diseases, with seventy colored plates, 50 large as life, and it is equal, in all respects, to anything of the kind ever published. Price, $5. Address Dr. H. BOSTWICK, Yonkers, or they may be had at the author's office, No. 25 East 14th-st., where he can be consulted daily, commencing on Monday.

DR. CORBETT, MEMBER OF THE N. Y. Medical College, Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia, and Royal College of Surgeons, London, has removed from No. 15 Dutch-st. to his new office, No. 5 City Hall-place, where he can be consulted with the most secret complaints on all diseases of the private organs; thirty years in the best hospitals of this City, enable him to guarantee a cure in the shortest possible time. Charges to suit the means of the poorest. Medicines, one dollar per month. Office, No. 5 City Hall-place, Brooklyn.

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FINANCIAL.

MINNESOTA STATE LOAN.

PROPOSALS FOR $100,000.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE, SAINT PAUL, Oct. 4, 1862.

The Legislature of the State of Minnesota having passed an Act authorizing the issue of the Bonds of the State to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, the proceeds to be applied to defray the expenses growing out of the present Indian war, said Bonds being made payable in ten years from the time they are respectively issued, at a rate of interest not exceeding eight per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually in the City of New-York, notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the undersigned for the whole or part of said amount, (the Bonds to be issued in sums of $1,000 each,) at the Banking Office of Messrs. P. M. Myers & Co., No. 6 Broad-st., New-York, until Saturday, Nov. 1, at 11 o'clock M., the money to be paid in U. S. Treasury Notes, upon the delivery of the Bonds in New-York City. No bids will be received for these bonds at less than their par value, nor at a greater rate of interest than that specified in the Act aforesaid, and the bonds will be awarded to the bidder offering to receive them at the lowest rate of interest. Bids should be indorsed "Proposals for Loan," and addressed to the undersigned.

[Cars of Messrs. P. M. Myers & Co., New-York City.]

CHARLES SCHEFFER, Treasurer of State.

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.

OFFICE CLEVELAND AND TOLEDO RAILROAD CO., CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 20, 1862.

This Company is now prepared to pay at the office of Messrs. Vermilyea & Co., No. 44 Wall-st., New-York, the following Bonds, with accrued interest, viz.:

Junction Railroad, 2d Mortgage Bonds, due Nov. 1, 1862.
Toledo, Norwalk and Cleveland 1st Mortgage Bonds, due Aug. 1, 1863.
Toledo, Norwalk and Cleveland 2d Mortgage Bonds, due Aug. 1, 1863.
Cleveland and Toledo Income Bonds, due Sept. 1, 1863.

The privilege of exchanging the different classes of outstanding Bonds of this Company for the Sinking Fund Bonds, will cease from and after this date. The coupons of the different classes of Bonds will be paid as heretofore at the Corn Exchange Bank, deducting 1 per cent. Government tax.

JOHN GARDINER, President.

EDWARD KING,
(Late of the firm of JAMES G. KING'S SONS,)
Offers his services as the Board of Brokers for the purchase or sale of
STOCKS, BONDS AND GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.
No. 52 Wall-st.

AUSTIN, BALDWIN & CO.,
No. 72 BROADWAY,
SHIPPERS AND FORWARDERS TO EUROPE,
SPECIE, BONDS, ETC.,
Sent by every steamer, at low rates.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,
NO. 59 WALL-ST.
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELLERS' CREDITS FOR USE IN THIS COUNTRY AND ABROAD.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BANK OF COMMERCE, in New-York, on Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of September, 1862:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$5,815,706 23
Due from Banks and Foreign Bankers	1,000,867 88
Due from the Directors of the Bank: $137,000	
Due from Brokers: Nothing	
Real Estate	326,040 00
Specie	1,420,676 17
Cash Items, viz: Checks on other City Banks, &c., received in the regular course of business on the day previous	2,171,769 48
Stocks and United States 7 3-10 per cent. Bonds	10,458,406 00
Bills of Solvent Banks, and United States Legal Tender Notes	1,276,200 00
Expense Account	8,959 87
Total	$23,163,270 13

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$2,222,200 00
Circulation Registered: $1,075	
Less Notes on hand: 300	1,775 00
Profits	912,275 00
Due to Banks	3,727,405 29
Due Depositors, on demand	5,304,505 28
Amount Due, not included under either of the above heads, viz: Dividends Unpaid	24,049 16
Total	$23,163,270 13

State of New-York, City and County of New-York, ss.—HENRY F. VAIL, Cashier of BANK OF COMMERCE, in New-York, a Banking Association, located and doing business at New-York, being duly sworn, saith that the foregoing is, in all respects, a true statement of the condition of said Bank, before the transaction of any business on the morning of Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of September, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-two, in respect to each and every of the items and particulars above specified, according to the best of his knowledge and belief; and that the business of said Bank has been and is transacted at the location aforesaid; and that John A. Stevens, the President, is absent, and cannot therefore join in this affidavit.

HENRY F. VAIL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn the 20th day of October, 1862.

LESLIE IRVING, Notary Public.

ST. LOUIS, ALTON AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, CHICAGO, Oct. 17, 1862.

MEETING OF THE BONDHOLDERS AND STOCKHOLDERS OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Bondholders and Stockholders of the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company will be held in the City of Chicago, at the office of the Company, on the 19th day of November next, at the hour of noon of that day, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors of said Company, and transacting such other business as may be brought before them.

J. W. FOSTER,
M. L. SYKES,
C. BADGER,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH PRICE, Secretary.
CHICAGO, Oct. 15, 1862.

NOTICE.—A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BONDholders of the CHICAGO, ALTON, AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD CO. will be held at Room No. 9, No. 28 William-st., on SATURDAY, the 25th day of October, 1862, at 1 o'clock P. M., to consider and vote upon further amendments to the Mortgage made between the Bondholders on the 10th day of January, 1860, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Meeting.

L. H. MEYER,
A. ISELIN,
WM. HOGE,
NATHAN PECK,
EZRA C. READ,
SAMUEL J. TILDEN,
Trustees and Attorney.

PACIFIC BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 14, 1862.

AT AN ELECTION HELD THIS DAY AT this place, the following persons were duly elected Directors for the ensuing year:

JACOB CAMPBELL, Jr.,
WILLIAM SMITH,
CHARLES S. WHITE,
GEORGE W. JACKSON,
DAVID L. YOUNG,
EBEN'R BEADLESTON,
AMOS F. HATFIELD,
BERKEKER H. FRAY,
CHARLES L. TIFFANY,
JOHN KERR,
JOHN H. CONTOIT,
JESSE A. KASKELL,
JOHN A. MERRITT,
ELISHA BROOKS.

At a subsequent meeting of this Board, JACOB CAMPBELL, Jr., was unanimously elected President, and JOHN A. MERRITT, Vice-President.

R. BUCK, Cashier.

JOHN H. VAN ANTWERP, OFFICE NO. 6 Broad-st., New-York, broker for the purchase and sale of Government, State, and other securities, demand notes, gold, &c. Loans negotiated on first-class collaterals. Refers, by permission, to Ed. H. Arthur, President Union Bank; J. E. Southworth, President Atlantic Bank; Wm. B. Meeker, Cashier Bank New-York; R. H. Lowry, Cashier Bank Republic; Messrs. Colgate & Hoffman; Read, Drexel & Co., Thompson Bros., Livermore, Clews & Co., Van Vleck & Tucker, F. M. Myers & Co., Geo. D. Arthur & Co., N. Holmes & Sons, Pittsburgh, Penn.; Pittsburgh, Fort & Co., Washington, D. C.

NOTICE.—THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATES OF STOCK in the Michigan Central Railroad Company, standing in the name of MARY N. LOCKWOOD, of Detroit, Michigan, have been lost, viz.: No. 1,161, for ten shares, issued from Boston Office; No. 1,466, for sixty shares, and No. 3,128, for five shares, issued from New-York Office. All persons are cautioned against receiving the same, the transfer thereof having been stopped.

HANOVER BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 21, 1862.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR FIFTEEN Directors of this Bank, and three Inspectors of the next election, will be held at the Banking-house, on TUESDAY, the 4th day of November next, between the hours of 12 M. and 2 o'clock P. M.

THOS. L. TAYLOR, Cashier.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 20, 1862.

MANUFACTURERS' AND MERCHANTS' BANK.—The annual election for Directors of this Bank and for Inspectors of the said annual election will take place at the Banking House, Nos. 661 and 663 Broadway, on TUESDAY, Nov. 11, between the hours of 12 and 1 P. M.

A. MASTERTON, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 33 Wall-st., NEW-YORK, Oct. 16, 1862.

AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS OF this Company will be held at the office, on MONDAY, the 10th day of November next.

Polls open from 12 M. to 1 P. M.

J. V. HARRIOTT, Secretary.

STOCKS, BONDS, GOLD AND GOVERNMENT SECURITIES,
Bought and sold at Board of Brokers,
By A. G. HEMINWAY & CO.,
No. 62 Exchange-place.

CHATHAM BANK ELECTION.—THE ANnual election for Directors, &c., will be held at the banking-room, on MONDAY, Nov. 3, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

O. H. SCHREINER, Cashier.

ARTISANS' BANK.—STOCKHOLDERS IN the Artisans' Bank are requested to meet at the office of GEO. GAULT, No. 37 Nassau-st., third floor, on WEDNESDAY, 22d inst., at 3 P. M.—important business.

SAN FRANCISCO CITY AND CALIFORNIA STATE COUPONS purchased at best rates by WM. E. COLEMAN & CO., No. 70 Wall-st. and No. 161 Pearl-st.

CALIFORNIA COUPONS BOUGHT AND Collected by AUGUST BELMONT & CO., 63 Wall-st.

DIVIDENDS

NEW-YORK AND NEW-HAVEN RAILROAD CO., OFFICE OF DIR-AV. AND STOCK, TREASURER'S OFFICE, Oct. 1, 1862.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE DIRECTORS OF this Company have declared a Dividend of Three Dollars Per Share on the Capital Stock, payable on and after Nov. 1, at this office. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 22d instant till date of payment. The Government tax will be assumed by the Company.

W. BEMENT, Treasurer.

FULTON BANK DIVIDEND.—A DIVIDEND of Five Per Cent. has been declared this day, out of the earnings of the last six months, payable to the stockholders on and after Nov. 1, the Bank assuming the tax on the same, till Nov. 1.

By order,
E. H. HAYDOCK, Cashier.

Oct. 20, 1862.

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS,
BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR,
AND BETWEEN BOSTON AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT HALIFAX AND CORK HARBOR.

SCOTIA, Capt. Judkins. CHINA, Capt. Anderson.
PERSIA, Capt. Lott. ASIA, Capt. Cook.
ARABIA, Capt. Stone. EUROPA, Capt. Leitch.
AFRICA, Capt. Shannon. CANADA, Capt. Muir.
AMERICA, Capt. Moodie. NIAGARA, Capt. A. Byrne.
AUSTRALASIAN.

These vessels carry a clear white light at mast-head; green on starboard bow; red on port bow.

FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL.

Chief Cabin Passage	$120
Second Cabin Passage	80

FROM BOSTON TO LIVERPOOL.

Chief Cabin Passage	$125
Second Cabin Passage	70

EUROPA leaves New-York, Wednesday, Oct. 8.
EUROPA leaves Boston, Wednesday, Oct. 15.
PERSIA leaves New-York, Wednesday, Oct. 22.
ARABIA leaves Boston, Wednesday, Oct. 29.
AUSTRALASIAN leaves New-York, Wednesday, Nov. 5.
ARABIA leaves Boston, Wednesday, Nov. 12.

Berths not secured until paid for.
An experienced surgeon on board.

The owners of these ships will not be accountable for gold, silver, bullion, specie, jewelry, precious stones or metals, unless bills of lading are signed, therefor, and the value thereof therein expressed. For freight or passage, apply to

E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

M. O. ROBERTS' LINE STEAMSHIPS FOR CALIFORNIA AND OREGON VIA NICARAGUA.
Through in advance of the mail.
GREAT REDUCTION IN FARES THROUGH TO SAN FRANCISCO.
NO DETENTION ON THE ISTHMUS.

The new and splendid steamship AMERICA, 2,400 tons, JEFF. MAURY, Commander, will sail on SATURDAY, Oct. 25, at 12 o'clock, noon, precisely, from her Pier at foot of Warren-st., North River, for San Juan del Norte, connecting with the fast and well-known steamship MOSES TAYLOR, 1,500 tons, E. HOWES, Commander, to sail without delay for San Francisco direct on arrival of the passengers at San Juan del Sur.

The speed and accommodations of these steamers are unsurpassed by any steamers on either ocean, and it is intended to land passengers by this line in San Francisco within 21 days.

The undersigned having been in the California trade since the beginning, beg to inform the public that this is a permanent line and not put on for the purpose of being bought or driven off. The ships will positively leave on the day advertised once a month, and in six months other ships will be ready, so that a double service may be relied upon.

For information or passage apply to

M. O. ROBERTS,
No. 177 West-st., corner of Warren-st., North River.

FOR HAVANA VIA NASSAU, N. P.
The British and North American Royal Mail Steamship BRITISH QUEEN, Capt. La Marchant, will sail for the above ports, from the Company's Wharf, at Jersey City, on

MONDAY, Nov. 10. | TUESDAY, Dec. 9.

Passage money to Nassau, $20.
Passage money to Havana, $25.
For freight or passage, apply to

E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

FOR HAVANA, DIRECT.
The United States Mail steamship ROANOKE, John Thompson, commander, will leave Pier No. 15 North River, on SATURDAY, Oct. 25, 1862, at 12 o'clock noon, precisely, for Havana, direct.

LUDLAM, HEINEKEN & CO., No. 115 Broadway.

NOTICE.—THE STEAMSHIP CITY OF NEW-YORK, for Liverpool and Queenstown, will sail from her dock, Pier No. 44, North River, on SATURDAY, Oct. 25, at 9 o'clock A. M. precisely. Passengers must be on board by 8 o'clock on the day of sailing.

JOHN G. DALE, Agent.

NOTICE.—THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRAVEL having been removed by order of the War Department, passengers about to visit Europe will no longer be required to provide themselves with passports.

JOHN G. DALE, Agent.

STEAM WEEKLY TO LIVERPOOL, touching at QUEENSTOWN, (Cork Harbor). The Liverpool, New-York, and Philadelphia Steamship Company intend sending their full-powered Clyde-built iron Steamships as follows:

CITY OF NEW-YORK, Saturday, Oct. 25.
KANGAROO, Saturday, Nov. 1.
EDINBURGH, Saturday, Nov. 8.

and every succeeding Saturday, at Noon, from Pier No. 44, North River.

RATES OF PASSAGE:

First Cabin	$85	Steerage	$25
First cabin to London	90	Steerage to London	30
First cabin to Paris	95	Steerage to Paris	40
First cabin to Hamburg	60	Steerage to Hamburg	40

Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Bremen, Rotterdam, Antwerp, &c., at equally low rates.

Fares from Liverpool or Queenstown: First Cabin, $85, $95, $115. Steerage from Liverpool, $45. From Queenstown, $35. Those who wish to send for their friends can buy tickets here at these rates.

These Steamers have superior accommodations for passengers; are strongly built in water-tight iron sections, and carry Patent Fire Annihilators. Experienced Surgeons are attached to each Steamer.

For further information apply in Liverpool to WILLIAM INMAN, Agent, No. 22 Water-st.; in Queenstown to ALEX. MALCOLM, No. 5 St. Enoch-square; in Queenstown to C. & W. D. SHEPHERD & CO.; in London to HIVES & NACEY, No. 61 King William-st.; in Paris to JULES DECOUE, No. 48 Rue Notre Dame des Victoires, Place de la Bourse; in Philadelphia to JOHN G. DALE, No. 111 Walnut-st., or at the Company's Office.

JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

STEAM TO LONDONDERRY, GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL.—The Montreal Steamship Company's first-class full-powered Clyde-built steamer HIBERNIAN, Capt. Graham, carrying the Canadian and United States mails, will sail from Quebec next SATURDAY, Oct. 25. Rates of passage from New-York—First-class, according to accommodations, $95 and $80; Steerage, found with good provisions, $35. Rates of passage from New-York and return, at the following reduced rates: First Cabin, $160 25 and $150; Steerage, $70. Certificates issued for bringing out passengers from all the principal towns in Great Britain and Ireland, at very low rates. For passage apply at No. 22 Broadway, New-York.

SABEL & SEARLE, General Agents.

THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYD'S STEAMSHIP HANSA, H. Ivor Hansen, Commander, carrying the United States Mail, will sail from Pier No. 50 North River, foot of Chambers-st., on

SATURDAY, OCT. 25, AT 12 O'CLOCK, M.,

FOR
BREMEN, and SOUTHAMPTON,

taking passengers for
LONDON, HAVRE, SOUTHAMPTON AND BREMEN,
at the following rates:

For the first cabin, $150; second cabin, $70; steerage, $40.

For freight or passage, apply to

OELRICHS & CO., No. 69 Broad-st.

FOR HAVANA, VIA NASSAU, N. P.—THE U. S. British steamship PACIFIC, 1,500 tons, W. H. Ennis, commander, will be dispatched for the above ports on SATURDAY, Oct. 25, at 12 M., from Pier No. 47, East River, foot of Montgomery-st. The PACIFIC is an iron steamship, side wheel, very fast, has unequaled accommodations, and is in all respects a most desirable ship for intending passengers or shippers.

Shippers and passengers will remember that this is a British ship, and therefore there will be no risk of Confederate privateers.

For freight or passage, apply to

JOHN R. BACON, No. 63 South-st.

AUSTRALIA.—KANGAROO LINE FOR MELbourne. First vessel to sail. The splendid first-class packet ship BAVARIA, 1,500 tons burden, will be dispatched early in November. The accommodations for first and second-class passengers are elegant and unequaled. For terms of passage apply to

MAILLER, LORD & QUEREAU,
No. 108 Wall-st.

THE GREAT EASTERN HAVING TOUCHED the ground on her late passage from Liverpool, it has been considered advisable to make a thorough examination of her bottom before sending her to sea; her departure will, therefore, be delayed beyond her previously advertised day of sailing. Holders of return tickets will have them renewed or the money returned as they may desire. Due notice will be given of the ship's departure.

SAVINGS BANKS

UNION DIME SAVINGS' BANK,
NO. 437 AND 439 CANAL, COR. VARICK-STREET.
Open daily from 10 A. M. till 2, and from 5 till 7 P. M. Deposits made on or before October 20, will bear interest from the 1st inst.
6 Per Cent. interest paid on sums of $600 and under, and 5 Per Cent. on larger sums.

E. V. HAUGHWOUT, President.
JOHN McLEAN, Vice-President.
MALTBY G. LANE, Vice-President.
G. S. CHAPIN, Secretary.

MARINERS' SAVINGS BANK,
No. 1 3d-av., corner 7th-st.
Open from 9 to 3 o'clock daily, and Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from 5 to 8 o'clock.

THOS. B. STILLMAN, President.
ISAAC T. SMITH, Secretary.

SIX PER CENT. INTEREST.—CITIZENS' Savings Bank, corner of Bowery and Canal-st. Open every day from 9 to 3 o'clock, and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 5 to 7.

Deposits made on or before Oct. 20, will bear interest from Oct. 1.

Bank Books in English, German and French.

GEORGE FOLSOM, President.
SETHGUR A. BURGE, Cashier.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK—CORNER OF 14th-st. and 8th-av. Open daily from 10 to 3 P. M.; Wednesday and Saturday, from 1 to 7 P. M. Six per cent. interest allowed on sums of $600 and under. Deposits made on or before Nov. 1 will draw interest from date.

THOMAS CHRISTY, Pres't.
RICHARD H. BULL, Sec'y.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given all persons having claims against HENRY G. VAN MEERBEEK, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of Messrs. A. J. & J. Jones, No. 2 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 2d day of March next. Dated, New-York, Sept. 15, 1862.

MARY VAN MEERBEEK, Administratrix.
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ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate of HANNAH COWAN, deceased, are required to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof to WILLIAM D. MANGAN, her executor, at his office, No. 52 Broad-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 15th day of November, 1862.

New-York, Oct. 15, 1862. O14-lw&w*Tu*

MACHINERY, &c.

TODD & RAFFERTY, MANUFACTURERS of Steam-engines, Portable Engines, Saw-mills, &c., No. 10 Dey-st., Second door eastward from Broadway. Works, Paterson, N. J.

AMUSEMENTS.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Lessee and Manager ..... Wm. Wheatley.
LAST NIGHT BUT ONE OF MR. HACKETT.
In compliance with many earnest requests, MR. HACKETT will repeat, positively for the last time they this season, SIR PERTINAX, THE POLITICIAN, And his greatest dramatic part, MONS. MALET.
TUESDAY EVENING, Oct. 21, 1862, Macklin's celebrated comedy, in five acts, THE MAN OF THE WORLD.
MR. HACKETT ..... Sir Pertinax Macsycophant
Egerton ..... Mr. L. R. Shewell
Lady Rodopkin Lumbercourt ..... Mrs. J. H. Allen
To be followed by Mr. Hackett's popular dramatic sketch, MONS. MALET;
or, THE POST-OFFICE MISTAKE.
MR. HACKETT ..... as ..... Mons. Malet
Musical Director ..... Mr. Harvey B. Dodworth
Nights of performance of EDWIN FORREST, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY.
LAST NIGHT OF MR. HACKETT, SATURDAY.
In consequence of the numerous inquiries when Mr. Edwin Forrest will again appear in his great character, "THE CARDINAL DUKE," in Bulwer's "Richelieu," the management beg leave to inform the public that the drama will be repeated once a week until further notice.
With the exception of the Press, NO FREE LIST.
Dress Circle and Parquet, 50 cents. Secured Parquet stalls, 75 cents. Family circle, 25 cents.
The performance will commence at 7½ o'clock. The doors will open at 7½ o'clock.

WINTER GARDEN.
Mr. JACKSON begs to announce that on TUESDAY, Oct. 21, and EVERY EVENING, EDWIN BOOTH, Will present his GREAT INTELLECTUAL PICTURE of RICHELIEU, RICHELIEU, RICHELIEU, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. F. B. CONWAY, and an admirable company.
To relieve the rush for seats to witness this beautiful presentation, the manager desires to state that seats may be secured SIX DAYS IN ADVANCE.
With the exception of the regular portion of the press THE FREE LIST IS ENTIRELY SUSPENDED.

GOTTSCHALK CONCERTS—IRVING HALL.
The first concert of the second series of this celebrated Pianist will take place on TUESDAY EVENING, Oct. 21.
On which occasion Mr. L. M. GOTTSCHALK will be assisted by MADAME DE LUSSAN—First appearance this season. Mr. WILLIAM CASTLE, a Tenor, and Pupil of SIGNOR ABELLA.
Will have the honor of making his first appearance. Mr. THEODORE THOMAS, Mr. H. C. timm, and others.
TICKETS ..... 50 cents.
Reserved seats ..... 50 cents extra.
Private boxes for five persons ..... $5.
Ticket offices at Beer & Schirmer's, No. 701 Broadway; Scharfenberg & Luis', No. 769 Broadway; Sibell & Salisbury's, No. 1 Astor-pl., and Irving Hall.
Doors open at 7½ o'clock, commencing at 8 o'clock.

GERMAN OPERA HOUSE.
No. 466 Broadway, corner of Broome-st.
Director ..... Carl Anschutz
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 22,
FIRST TIME IN AMERICA,
JEAN DE PARIS,
Comic Opera in three acts,
WITH BALLET,
By A. Boieldieu.
Princess of Navarra ..... Mme. Johnsone
Sanchel ..... Mr. Graf
Jean de Lorme ..... Mr. Quinl
Oliviar, (page) ..... Miss. Rotter
Fodrigo, (hotel keeper) ..... Mr. Kronfeld
Lorenza, (his daughter) ..... Miss Clemens
GRAND PAS DE DEUX
in the third act, by MLLE. THELLUR and MONS. WIETHOFF.
Admission: Boxes, 75 to 50; Orchestra and reserved seats, 75c.; Parquet and first tier, 50c.; Second tier, 25c. Seats can be secured at the office from 9 o'clock A. M. till 3 o'clock P. M.
Doors open at 7; to commence at 8 o'clock.

ON EXHIBITION,
L. LANG'S HISTORICAL PICTURE,
The Reception of
THE OLD SIXTY-NINTH
IRISH REGIMENT, IN JULY, 1861,
At COUPIL'S, No. 772 Broadway, corner of 9th-st.
Open from 8 to 5, and from 7 to 10 P. M.
Single admission, 25 cents; for the season, 50 cents.

HOPE CHAPEL—SIXTH WEEK OF TIERELL'S CALIFORNIA.
Great and constantly increasing interest is being manifested in this splendid work. Evenings at 7½. Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at 3½. Admission 25 cents. Special exhibitions given to schools, societies, &c., on liberal terms. Call or address GEO. TIERELL.

RAILROADS.

NEW-YORK AND FLUSHING RAILROAD.
FALL ARRANGEMENT.
On and after 15th October, 1862, leave James' Slip Ferry or Thirty-fourth-st. Ferry, at 7, 9, 11, 2, 4, 5, 6.
Leave Flushing at 7, 8, 10; 1, 3:45, 5, 6.
Way-stations are Calvary Cemetery, Winfield, Newtown and Fashion Course Depots.
Freight received at James' Slip Ferry. Freight for way-stations must be received before 10 o'clock.

J. S. BOTTORFF, Supt.

NEW-YORK, HARLEM & ALBANY R. R.
FOR ALBANY, TROY, NORTH AND WEST.
Summer arrangement, commencing Thursday, May 1, 1862.
For Albany—10:30 A. M. Express Mail Train, from 30th st. station.
For all local trains, see time-table.

JOHN BURNHILL, Agt. Sup't.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD—ORANGE OF LETTERMAN.—Passenger Depot at James-slip and foot of 34th-st.
Summer Arrangement—Leave New-York at 6 A. M. for Greenport, Sag Harbor, Orient and Hampton.
At 8 A. M. for M., and 4:30 P. M., for Syosset.
At 9:30 A. M. for Greenport.
At 4 P. M. for Farmingdale.
On Sunday a train leaves Hunter's Point, (34th-st. Ferry,) at 8½ A. M. for Riverhead and intermediate stations at excursion rates. Returning leaves Riverhead at 3 P. M.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FOR ALBANY, TROY, THE NORTH AND WEST.
Trains leave:

FROM CHAMBERS-ST.	FROM THIRTIETH-ST.
Express, 3 and 3 A. M., and 3:15, 8:15 and 6 P. M.	3:25, 8:25 A. M., and 3:40 and 6:25 P. M.
Troy and Albany, (with 10:40 P. M. sleeping car 1 10:15 P. M.)	(Sundays included.)

RARITAN AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD.—On and after TUESDAY, Sept. 23, the new and fast steamer THOMAS COLLYER will leave New-York, foot of Murray-st., at 7 A. M. for Long Branch, Manchester and Atlantic; there connecting with the Camden and Atlantic Railroad to Camden, N. J., and other points on that road. At 2:30 P. M. for Long Branch, Red Bank, Manchester, and intermediate stations.

ERIE RAILWAY.—PASSENGER TRAINS leave from foot of Chambers-street: 6 A. M., Mail; 7 A. M., Express for Buffalo; 8 A. M., Milk, daily, for Otisville; 4 P. M., Way; 5 P. M., Night Express, daily for Dunkirk, Buffalo, Cincinnati, and principal stations.

CHAS. MINOT, Gen'l Sup't.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD ACCOMMODATION—OLD SOUTH FERRY TERMINUS.—Trains leave: 6:40 A. M., 3:15 P. M. for

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Draft.

We are not informed in any order from Gen. Andrew as to his intentions regarding the observance of the provisions established by the General Government for the protection of exempts. If we read those provisions rightly, it is expressly stated that a specified period is allowed all drafted persons who claim exemption from draft in which to establish their exemption, while Gen. Andrew gives the public to understand that claims must be put in before the day of draft.

However this may be—whether the provision referred to is to be regarded, or whether it is to be absolutely and arbitrarily set aside—Gen. Andrew has commenced his work in earnest. The noble army of copyists, clerks and scribes having finished their labors, and presented Gen. Andrew with a token of their esteem, and been reappointed to new and responsible positions, the lists have been placed in a safe place, and all is ready.

Gen. Andrew has issued various and lengthy orders concerning the Commissioners, the Surgeons and the Clerks, and their duties, of which we reproduce the most important.

After a long and detailed statement of the duties of the Commissioners, we find the following

LIST OF OFFICIALS.

Ward.	Commissioner.	Surgeon.	Clerk.
1.	Otis D. Swan.	Robt. A. Barry.	L. W. Gulagen.
2.	F. V. Weimers.	J. M. Markoe.	J. H. Taylor.
3.	O. M. Stetson.	S. J. Raphael.	J. M. Camille.
4.	Chas. Yates.	Samuel Russel.	Geo. E. Simons.
5.	R. F. Wickham.	Ellery Dennison.	Victor Harndt.
6.	Josh Bell.	John Gallaher.	R. J. Malone.
7.	Jas. A. Briggs.	Chas. D. Smith.	W. E. Smith.
8.	Eugene LeGal.	Wm. Detmold.	Chas. H. Lee.
9.	Saml. L. Wyckoff.	Gardon Buck.	Aug. M. Scribe.
10.	E. F. Mankover.	E. Krackowizer.	John A. Jackson.
11.	John Keyes.	E. Peloe.	Joseph Koch.
12.	Jas. J. Corrigan.	Elias Waterman.	Justus E. Zender.
13.	Chas. F. Daly.	James R. Wood.	J. Vanderwyck.
14.	Isaac Bloom.	Robert Watts.	H. H. Clark.
15.	Geo. F. Barney.	F. H. Maurer.	E. S. Livingston.
16.	C. W. Sanford.	S. C. Foster.	J. P. Kelly.
17.	Robert J. Dillon.	Austin Flint.	R. Ulehr.
18.	Wm. Walsh.	Alex. Harwood.	D. H. Dick.
19.	Jas. Lockwood.	C. Van Brunt.	J. Widdras.
20.	Wm. Smith.	G. R. Agnew.	Wm. H. Brown.
21.	Jas. Lee.	Stephen Smith.	J. B. Bensel.
22.	Jas. Bell, Jr.	W. H. Thompson.	E. D. Long.

The following persons are exempt under the law of the United States:

All persons now in the military service of the United States, all telegraph operators and constructors, actually engaged on the 5th day of August, 1862, all engineers of locomotives on railroads, all artificers and workmen employed in any public arsenal or armory, the Vice-President of the United States, the officers judicial and executive of the Government of the United States, the members of both Houses of Congress and their respective officers, all Custom-house officers and their clerks, all post officers and stage drivers who are employed in the care and conveyance of the mail of the Post-office of the United States, all ferrymen who are employed at any ferry on the post road, all pilots, all mariners actually employed in the sea-service of any citizen or merchant within the United States, all engineers and pilots of registered or licensed steamboats and steamships, and all persons exempted by the laws of the several States.

The following persons are exempt under the laws of the State of New-York:

I. The Lieutenant-Governor, Members and Officers of the Legislature, the Secretary of State, Attorney-General, Comptroller, Assistant, State Engineers and Surveyor, State Treasurer and Clerks, and employes in the several offices, the Judicial officers of this State, including Justices of the Peace, Sheriffs, Coroners and Constables.

II. All persons in the Army or Navy, or Volunteer forces of the United States, and the present officers and members of the organized Militia of this State who are liable to be specially drafted into the service, with their respective organizations.

III. All persons who have been or hereafter shall be regularly and honorably discharged from the regular or volunteer army or navy of the United States, in consequence of the performance of military duty thereon.

IV. Ministers and preachers of the gospel.

V. Persons being of the people called Shakers or Quakers, professors, teachers and students in all colleges and public academies, (as distinguished from private schools,) and in all common schools.

VI. Commissioned officers, who shall have served as such in the militia of this State, or in any of the States for the period fixed by existing laws, and whose resignation has been duly accepted, or who have been in some other lawful manner honestly discharged from such service and duty.

VII. All idiots and lunatics, and persons convicted of infamous crime.

VIII. All habitual drunkards and paupers, who have been declared such by proceedings in a court of competent jurisdiction.

X. The Commissioners, Surgeons, and Clerks engaged in making the draft are also exempt, from the nature of their employment.

XI. The Commissioners will mark the word "Fireman" opposite the name of each man proved to be such. If an entry to that effect be not already made.

XII. The duties of all the officers connected with the draft are at once delicate and important, and it is proper that they should be exercised not only with fidelity and firmness, but also with kindness and consideration. Doubtless on many occasions the patience of Commissioners, Surgeons and Clerks will be severely tried, but the Chief Commissioner trusts that all will remember that a draft, however readily it may be responded to by a generous and patriotic people, inevitably produces some cases of individual hardship, which should be treated with the utmost forbearance. By order of

WM. HENRY ANTHON,
Judge Advocate General, Chief Commissioner of Drafting.

Then comes the following for the guidance of the Surgeons, the details of which will be found interesting:

STATE OF NEW-YORK, SURGEON-GENERAL'S OFFICE.

SIR: The duty to which you are assigned is delicate and peculiar.

In the ordinary examination of recruits seeking service, the Surgeon is expected to detect physical imperfections, which the person strives to conceal, or at least so far as possible cause to appear trivial and indifferent.

With those presenting themselves to you from an opposite condition exists; it is for *exemption* from military service.

They will present, in the most glaring characters, every physical infirmity, or the myriad types of functional disorder, strongly impressed on the mind of the individual as full cause for exemption.

It will also be necessary, in arriving at an intelligent judgment, to consider the difference, in social condition, of the two classes. Thus far a great proportion of the recruits have been from among the working classes; men, who, by daily manual toil, are seldom affected with functional disorders, and in examining whom the surgeon looks principally for physical imperfections.

The most limited experience must have noticed, that in this country, so intense is the application to more business, whether of the commercial or professional man, that vital relations and laws are wholly lost sight of, and very few present themselves engaged in such pursuits, who have not some functional disturbance which must at times incapacitate them for the pursuit of ordinary duties. Herein will lie your great difficulty.

The necessity of judging impartially, and giving to these ailments their due consideration, will exclude some, whom the non-professional may not deem exempt, and pass others with apparently more serious conditions.

It would be impossible to enumerate the different phases of disease, which become causes of exemption; it will be sufficient to indicate some general principle, to which, as far as possible, the peculiarities of individual cases must apply.

Functional disorders will therefore be regarded as a cause of disability only when existing in an acute stage, or where the disability arising therefrom is such as incapacitates the individual from pursuing his daily avocations, or when a moderate amount of physical labor renders further effort injurious.

Vague as this instruction may appear, it is as specific, taken in connection with the preceding remark, as seems justifiable.

To your judgment in each case is confided the application of the principle.

Certificates of disability granted by other surgeons are entitled to consideration only so far as they may aid in arriving at an intelligent judgment, or as bearing upon the history of a malady.

In ascertaining disability from physical causes, you will be governed by the following rules:

1st. The individual is to be stripped naked, and the condition of all the joints to be noted; see that hearing, vision and speech are perfect; also that there is no weakness of the hand to impair the facilities or cause convulsions.

2d. Whether there is any evidence of pulmonary disease.

3d. Any disease of the heart.

4th. Hernia, chronic difficulty of the bowels, no fistula or troublesome piles, large or painful varicocele, or varicose veins, which extend above the knee, or present traces of ulceration.

5th. The following also are disqualifications: The loss of either phalanx of the thumb or forefinger of the right hand; the loss of any two fingers on either hand; the loss of the great toe; also, chancre, or marked constitutional syphilis.

6th. Any other marked physical imperfection which would unfit for active service.

The following extract from General Order No. 99, from the War Department, will also govern your action:

"Exemption will not be made for disability unless it be of such permanent character as to render the person unfit for service for a period of more than 30 days, to be certified by a surgeon appointed by the Governor in each county for this purpose."

You will keep a record of the name of each individual recommended to the Commissioner for exemption, and continually the reason therefor. At the close of your labors this record will be transmitted to this office.

You will make requisition upon the Commissioner for the necessary blank-book and writing material as well as clerical assistance.

You are strictly prohibited from receiving remuneration.

Respectfully yours, &c.,
F. CARLEY VANDERPOEL,
Surgeon-General.

Yesterday was the first day on which claims for exemption were heard. There were comparatively but few in any Ward who appeared—but more than a thousand in the entire City. Everything was done quietly and passed off pleasantly.

Book Trade Sale.

FOURTH DAY.

The attendance at the Annual Trade Sale yesterday, was in no degree inferior to that of the three preceding days, and the usual amount of lively competition was shown. The sale was opened by the contributions of J. B. Smith & Co., Philadelphia: Peterson's "Histories of War of 1812," cloth and gilt, brought $1 15; Benton's "Anatomy of Melancholy" sold at $1 05; "Tales of American Women" at 35 cents; Boswell's "Life of Johnson" at $1; Burns' complete "Poetical Works" at $1 10; Heman's "Poetical Works" at 60 cents; in cloth, gilt edges, 90 cents; morocco, half gilt, $1 65; quarto Bibles, sheep, marbled edge, No. 1, 6 plates, at 90 cents; cloth, full gilt, marbled edges, at 92½ cents; do., gilt edges, at $1 05. The "Political Text Book" sold at 85 cents; same work, thin edition, brought only 42½ cents.

The next line were standard romances of same publishers, and were disposed of as follows: Miss Porter's "Scottish Chiefs," 32½ cents; "Children of the Abbey," "Gil Blas," "Don Quixotte," "Robinson Crusoe," "The Bandit's Bride," "Arabian Nights," sold freely at 30 cents each, large numbers being taken by the trade. Waverley Novels were next sold at 22½ cents; "Rob Roy" and "Ivanhoe" were let go at 35 cents each; DeWitt's Song Books, assorted, 18mo, paper, were sold at 2½ cents; Scott's "Life of Napoleon" brought, complete in two volumes, 8vo, cloth, gilt, but 55 cents; full gilt, 75 cents; arabesque, 85 cents; sheep, library, $1; Worcester's revised edition of "Todd's, Johnson's and Walker's Dictionary" was sold at $1 20; "Classical Pronunciation of Greek, Latin and Scripture Names" was sold at $1 20; Worcester's Comprehensive sold at 37½ cents; Academic, 95 cents; Universal and Critical, $2; "The Indian Wars of the United States" were sold at 25 cents each.

Leary, Getz & Co.'s publications, comprising a variety of Scriptural works, adapted for Sabbath-school library purposes, were closed out at an average of 20 cents each, the trade price marking $1 25. Henry Ward Beecher's "Views and Experiments" were sold at 25 cents. Rollins' "Ancient History," 4 volumes, half morocco, set, sold at $1 52—trade price marked at 56; Wells' "Lawyer," bound in sheep, was sold at 23 cents, and half bound at 19 cents; Lamb's Works, 8vo, cloth, were let go at 30 cents.

The next lot, and last under the consignment of Smith, was a variety of Medical Works, as follows: "Illustrated Midwifery," at $1 65; Gait's "Practice of Medicine," at 92 cents; Ballard and Garrod's "Materia Medica," at 55 cents, and Kost's "Domestic Medicine" at 50 cents.

The next consignment was of Theodore Bliss & Co., Philadelphia, and consisted of a variety of useful and moral works, which brought fair prices. T. S. Arthur's works (muslin) were sold in sets at the low price of 38 cents each. Standard Imperial Quarto Bibles (great primer type) were disposed of at the following rates: Levant Turkey morocco, full gilt, $11 50; super extra, full gilt, $12 50; do. plain, $12; beveled boards extra, $14 50; antique, $15; and beveled and paneled sides, $17 25—all very cheap. Greenfield's Greek Testament, (Polyglot,) with lexicon, at $1, and "Sallust Delphin" at 50 cents, which closed Bliss' consignment.

M. W. Dodd & Co.'s of New-York, were the next lot offered, and brought fair market prices. Among the most conspicuous volumes in this catalogue were: "Dick's Theology," at 60 cents; "Cruden's Complete Concordance," at $2 25, and Rev. Henry C. Fish's "Pulpit Eloquence of the Nineteenth Century," at $2 10, and "Masterpieces of Pulpit Eloquence," at $1 50.

Henry Carey Baird's Philadelphia consignment was next taken up, and embraced a very fine collection of practical and scientific works, being popular treatises on engineering, chemistry, philosophy, all of which brought fair prices. The evening's sale included Messrs. Lee & Shepard's collection, embracing juveniles, British, classical, ancient classics, popular novels, romances &c., together with Harding's collection of superb photograph albums.

To-day's sale embraces the invoices of Hogg & Sons, of London; Blanchard & Lee, of Boston; Wm. Rudd and D. Appleton & Co., of this City. Valuable works will be offered.

Death of Dr. John C. Cheesman.

A great and useful man has passed away from this earth, and though the smoke of mighty conflicts and the fall of heroes on the battle-field is apt to make us lose sight of quieter lives and deaths, yet the subject of this notice has been too long and too well known to pass away unremembered.

On Friday, the 10th inst., Dr. JOHN C. CHEESMAN, of this City, died suddenly, of apoplexy. Fifty years of successful practice in surgery and medicine had built him up to be a great power over the pulse and health of this Metropolis.

As a surgical operator he had no superior in this country.

He sustained a uniform elevation of distinction for the skill and daring with which he handled the most dangerous and desperate cases. Besides an immense regular practice, almost every passing accident of former years in this City, looked to that ready hand for comfort and relief.

The history of the New-York Hospital for the last forty years is the history of the benevolence, the skill and the triumph of JOHN C. CHEESMAN in the treatment of almost every ailment that can afflict the human body.

When such a man dies a great light vanishes from the bedside of disease and suffering. Little has been said of the event, and yet hundreds of valuable citizens who felt that his long experience, clear head and steady hand made their own stay a little more sure, now tremble at the thought of so much rare judgment and professional skill being withdrawn from the public safety.

Dr. CHEESMAN, though not a great man intellectually, possessed those characteristics without which genius utterly fails of success. He had earnestness and unity of purpose; he was intensely definite and practical, and he evolved theories for his guidance less from books than bedsides. His strong sense and keen observation made himself reliant and original in practice, without the ambition of innovating upon established rules or experimenting upon critical subjects. Gentle and hopeful to the invalid, with the faculty he was rigid, tenacious and honorable in the terms of professional intercourse.

He loved his country with a genuine enthusiasm, that hurried on his only son with the first City regiment which marched for the safety of the National Capital.

Reared in the Society of Friends, his practical sense convinced him that creeds were less important than a good conscience, and though he left the strait sect he kept on in the straight path that has led him up to honor, fame, and fortune.

His personal appearance contributed greatly to his success, because a genial smile and a handsome figure will help any medicine.

No doctor of seventy-sixty ever went to his grave with more of woman's tears rained upon his dust. His death was as honorable and peaceful as his life had been earnest and useful.

City Mortality.

The City Inspector reports that 353 persons died in New-York last week—82 men, 68 women, 105 boys and 100 girls—a decrease of 33 from the mortality of the previous week, and the same decrease as compared with the mortality of the corresponding week of 1861. Of the deceased 186 were children under five years of age. The mortality by the principal diseases was as follows: Consumption, 50; infantile marasmus, 29; croup, 20; diarrhœa, 15; whooping cough, 11; dropsy, 7; scarlet fever, 7; typhoid, 4. Deaths from external causes, 34; among which are reported 4 premature births, 6 deaths from old age, 4 drowned, 1 murdered, 8 killed by accident. There were 25 interments in Potter's Field, and 41 deaths in the Institutions.

The following is a schedule of the work of the Bureau of Sanitary Inspection, in the abatement of nuisances, &c., for the week ending Oct. 18, 1862:

ABATEMENT OF NUISANCES.

Complaints of nuisances, &c., received	37
Complaints for which no cause existed	1
Notices for abatement served	71
Abatements of nuisances under notice	93
Sinks and water-closets cleaned	61
No. of loads of night soil removed from the City limits	431
No. of dead horses removed from the City limits	39
No. of dead cows removed from the City limits	6
No. of dead goats removed from the City limits	1
No. of dead hogs removed from the City limits	41
No. of dead dogs and other small animals removed from the City limits	190
No. of barrels of offal removed from the City limits	1,600

The Gas Question.

AN OPINION FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL.

The Special Committee of the Board of Aldermen, having under consideration the question of the Corporate authorities superseding the present Gas Companies, met again yesterday, when the following opinion was read and an adjournment made till 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon:

CITY OF NEW-YORK—LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
Oct. 16, 1862.

To the Board of Aldermen:

In answer to a resolution of your Special Committee on Gas-light Companies, received yesterday, I have to state that the New-York Gas-light Company was incorporated by the Legislature in 1823, (stat. 1823, p. 93,) and its charter has been twice amended, (stat. 1827, p. 222, and 1855, p. 176.) The Manhattan Gas-light Company was incorporated in 1830, (stat. 1830, p. 65,) and its charter has been three times amended, (stat. 1847, p. 186; 1852, p. 165, and 1855, p. 1,038.) I notice nothing in either of the charters materially affecting the questions submitted.

The New-York Company made a contract with the Corporation in 1823, which expired by its own limitation of the City, on the 13th of May, 1853, (vol. ord., p. 505,) and I am not aware that any other contract has been made between the company and the corporation of the City. The real estate of the works constructed for the manufacture of gas still belong to the Company, and can only be acquired by purchase. I find no provision for acquiring the property in any other way.

The Manhattanville Company made a contract with the City Corporation in 1833, which expired by its own limitation on the 13th of May, 1853. (Vol. ord. p. 509.) The Company made another contract with the City Corporation in 1848, which will expire on the 5th day of May, 1868. (Vol. ord. p. 572.) So far as I am informed this contract still remains in full force; but by its terms it may be annulled by the Common Council in case of a breach of conditions on the part of the Company. Whether terminated in that way, or by the lapse of time, the real estate of the Company, and the works which have been constructed for the manufacture of gas, will still belong to the Company. If the Corporation wishes to obtain the property, it may be acquired by mutual agreement between the parties; in other words, by purchase. I find no provision for acquiring the title in any other way.

Respectfully submitted,
GREENE C. BRONSON.

More New Vessels of War.

Yesterday, at the Brooklyn Navy-yard, the keel of a new steamer-of-war was laid "in the open air," beside the side-wheel steamer *Mackinaw*, already some weeks in course of construction, all the shiphouses being occupied with other National ships. The new craft is to be a propeller. She will be 170 feet long, 28 feet wide, and 12 feet deep, 593 tons burden, and be pierced for four guns. Her name will be *Monacoe*. No pains will be spared to make her a superior vessel. In the ship-house from which the *Ticonderoga* was recently launched, preparations are making for commencing work on the new iron-clad steam sloop-of-war or frigate *Miantonomoh*. She will be about 240 feet long and nearly 1,500 tons burden. Her battery will consist of four tremendous pieces of ordnance. The sister ship of the *Miantonomoh* will be commenced at Philadelphia in a few days. She, too, will be built outside of a ship-house. She will be 1,554 tons burden, and carry four guns. Her name will be *Tonawanda*. The Navy Department has given the building of these ships to its own constructors, the machinery and armor being all that will probably be got up by private parties. They will not, therefore, be "militia craft."

LOCAL POLITICS.

A Meeting for the Union.

There are at present in this City some five or six gentlemen, from as many States now in rebellion against the Government, who are perfecting arrangements to hold a meeting of all Union-loving citizens, either at the end of this or the beginning of next week, at which they propose to give their views in relation to the conduct of the war. Gen. PATTERSON will probably be present, and Col. HAMILTON will certainly be. These gentlemen are all expatriated citizens, and may be understood to know whereof they affirm.

Meeting in the Twentieth Ward—Speech of Hon. H. B. Stanton and Others.

Last evening the Union Republicans had a great time at their Club Room. They were addressed by Hon. H. B. STANTON, who, after some preliminary remarks, spoke of the recent elections. He said the results of the recent elections in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Iowa are claimed to be very important in many respects. Let us examine them. First, there were no officers of importance to be chosen in either of these States, and little interest was felt in the matter, so far as that class of candidates was concerned. From the returns it is impossible to give the footings of the adverse columns; but the aggregate vote in these four States is about equally divided between the two parties. It was upon members of Congress that the chief interest centered. Now, what is the result? As compared with the present House, the Republicans have lost three members, and, of course, the Democrats have gained three. This is the result in an aggregate of sixty members. But it must be remembered that half these Democrats succeeded upon express pledges that they were "War Democrats." Many of them distinctly committed themselves to the use of all available means for crushing the rebellion promptly, without compromise.

In weighing these results, we must not overlook historical precedents. Since the accession of Mr. VAN BUREN to the Presidency, every Administration has come into power with a House of Representatives largely in its favor, while the House elected during its term has invariably been hostile to it, and several times by great majorities. Under the last six Administrations, from VAN BUREN to BUCHANAN, the Speaker chosen for the first Congress of the term was always the supporter of the President, while the Speaker chosen by the House elected during the term, was always his opponent. Thus far, then, Mr. LINCOLN has done better in the Congressional elections than any one of his predecessors for the last quarter of a century, and very much better than most of them. But, setting historical precedents aside—for, this is an unprecedented crisis in the annals of the Republic—there is another reason for the seeming untoward results of these elections. The States of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Iowa have sent to the battle-fields of the South more than three hundred thousand men. Of these, at least one hundred and fifty thousand are voters. And of these there is abundant proof, that a majority of one hundred thousand would, had they been at home, have supported the Union Republican war candidates in their elections. It is notorious that under the last two calls for volunteers, Pro-Slavery Democrats have discouraged enlistments. It is equally notorious that their followers have, as a general rule, refused to volunteer. And, from facts and statistics, it is settled that since July the enlistments have been on the average in the proportion of five or six Republicans to one Democrat. Now, this one hundred thousand majority of Union Republicans, in the four States in question, could not be fighting the rebels on the battle-fields below the Potomac and the Ohio, and at the same time be voting against their sympathizers at the ballot-boxes in the North. Had they been at home, the Union war ticket would have swept those States like a whirlwind, sending to the House full three-fourths of their members.

There are other causes no doubt for these results. I may feel it my duty to speak upon them after our own State election is over. Among these causes is the slow manner in which this war has been prosecuted. The people feel, and deeply feel, that compensation in decisive victories has not been received for their vast expenditures of money and blood during the eighteen months this war has shaken the land with its earthquake tread. Doubtless some of our reverses and our lack of successes at all commensurate with the immense array of men and munitions the Government has placed in the field, is due to the incompetency and insufficiency of commanding Generals. But it is natural that the Administration should be treated as responsible for our failures, and made to suffer accordingly. Besides this, in some of the districts in the States where we suffered most, I learn that unwise nominations were made. The people were compelled to carry candidates who were dead weights. Thus the Administration lost districts which its friends ought to have secured. The selfishness of narrow-minded, little-hearted partisans, in a dread exigency, when their country is imperiled, is amazing. Oh, that they should sacrifice it to their low ambition, and an inordinate overestimate of their capacity, and their deserts. It is believed, too, that the contest in the three great central States was made to turn too exclusively upon adherence to the distinctive name and principles of the Republicans as a party. The outspoken and uncompromising war element among the Democrats was not properly recognized, courted, and rewarded. Taking warning from the mistakes of our Western brethren, let us in New-York beware. Let us be liberal, that we may be successful. Some fastidious persons, overlooking the real causes of the results mentioned, have said that they are attributable to the President's proclamation of freedom. This is an utter mistake. That sublime document has aided to save the Administration in those States. But for it, it would have been shipwrecked. Had it been issued three months earlier, the Administration would have won brilliant victories through all the West. In the Empire State it stimulates the friends of the President to unwonted exertions. Its inspiring words touch us what we are contending for, and that our struggles are not in vain. But for it, with so large a preponderance of loyal voters absent with our armies, we should be beaten by the Seymourites. This glorious document nerves us to contend manfully and hopefully against our enemies while so many of our compatriots are on the battle-fields fighting the rebels. How, then, will the results in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana affect us in New-York? Not injuriously, if we avoid the errors of our compeers. We must make inroads into the old-fashioned Democracy. This has been done in this State far more than in any other. Eminent leaders of that party, discarding its semi-treason, have combined with men of different political organizations to rescue their country from peril. The names of Dickinson, Dix, Cochrane, Freeman, Wallridge, Porter, Colvin, Johnson, Alvord, Rickers, Ogden, Wadsworth, Stetson and their associates are towers of strength in our cause. They will aid us in achieving a new triumph. But, a word or two concerning our friends who have gone to the war. Doubtless their absence hazards our triumph. It demands greater exertions to avert defeat. But, though we regret their absence, we have rich compensation in another quarter. Though not at the meetings, they are with the army. Though not able to cast ballots at the heads of the Valladigham, the Cozzens and the Woods here, they can cast bullets at the heads of their traitor friends, the Lees, the Braggs and the Longstreets of the South. More than all, they are infusing young blood—yes, and free blood, into the army, making it the most intelligent, brave, moral and determined legion that has trodden the earth in modern times. They will emulate the immortal Ironsides of Cromwell, who, charging to the tune of "Old Hundred," conquered the corrupt cavaliers of the Court of CHARLES. Thus our Republican Roundheads, carrying the great Proclamation of Liberty on their bayonets, will plant it upon the shores of the Gulf of Mexico ere the Spring that is coming shall melt into the tropical Summer.

"From our green mountains to the sea,
One voice shall thunder 'We are free.'"

Mr. STANTON discussed general principles at length, but we have no room for a further report. Great enthusiasm prevailed.

Twenty-first Ward Republican Meeting.

SPEECHES BY HON. JAMES WADSWORTH, JOSEPH HOXIE, PARKER GODWIN, AND J. WILSON GREENE.

A considerable concourse of the Republican and Union Party men assembled, last evening, at the rooms of the "Union Association" of the Twenty-first Ward, on the corner of Broadway and Thirty-second-street.

CHARLES GOULD, Esq., Chairman of the Association, presided, assisted by Vice-Presidents R. A. WITTHAUS and ALEXANDER P. SHARP, and RICHARD J. VANBURGH, Secretary.

Mr. GOULD, having opened the proceedings with some remarks pertinent to the occasion, was followed by Messrs. JOSEPH HOXIE, PARKER GODWIN, and J. WILSON GREENE, in eloquent and characteristic addresses, urging the claims of the Republican nominees, and the force of the principles they represent.

The Hon. JAMES WADSWORTH, whose coming had been eagerly looked for throughout the evening, was finally announced and received with a round of cheering.

Mr. WADSWORTH commenced his address with an impressive reference to the momentous crisis now upon the country. This terrible situation he emphatically designated "a Revolution," which those are blind who will not see. The Seymour Democracy, he declared, are groping about on the level plane of old state ideas, feeling their feeble way along the edges of the slough of Slavery, utterly unable or unwilling to comprehend that all things are new, and the grand drama now enacting is, indeed, a mighty convulsion. For his part he would say to that Democracy, in the spirit of CROMWELL ejecting the Rump Parliament, and he would particularly direct his admonition to Mr. PETER CAGER, who always rises at 12 o'clock to open the Democratic Conventions of this State—"Your time is over—you may go home! God is holding *His* Conventions this year!" (Laughter and applause.)

Mr. WADSWORTH, then, with an emphatic exposition of the intended Democratic policy of pacification, and as strenuous a denial of the possibility of any peace or compromise with the South on any less condition than the overthrow of Slavery, expressed a hope that the Republican strength might be concentrated on one of the candidates of that party in the congressional district, in glowing terms prophesied the complete triumph of the principles he had just enunciated.

Assembly.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

Last night, with commendable order and unusual quiet, the following candidates for the Assembly were chosen by the Democracy:

First District—
Second District—Daniel Leaky.
Third District—
Fourth District—
Fifth District—Henry Rogers, of the Ninth Ward.
Sixth District—Dr. Julius Korn, of the Seventeenth Ward.
Seventh District—Vincent C. King, of the Ninth Ward.
Eighth District—Thomas H. Hill, of the Thirteenth Ward.
Ninth District—
Tenth District—Daniel O'Brien, renominated.
Eleventh District—Thomas A. Ledwith.
Twelfth District—Andrew Smith. Mozart, Peter Bowne.
Thirteenth District—Alexander Ward.
Fourteenth District—Robert C. Hutchins, renominated.
Fifteenth District—Did not meet.
Sixteenth District—Michael McCann.
Seventeenth District—

No More New Organizations.

LETTER FROM THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

In reply to an application from His Honor Mayor OPDYKE, Rev. T. W. CONWAY, DEXTER A. HAWKINS, and others, the Adjutant-General has written the following letter:

ALBANY, Friday, Oct. 17, 1862.

I am directed by His Excellency, Gov. MORGAN, to acknowledge the receipt of your communication, with inclosed application for the organization of a second "Hawkins' Zouaves," and to inform you in reply, that since there are only 40,000 troops to be raised in this State, which force is needed to fill up the old regiments now in the field, it is not designed to organize any new ones. I am, very respectfully,
THOS. HILLHOUSE, Adjutant-General.

Arrivals in the City.

Lieut.-Col. A. Smith and H. Duryea, of the U. S. Army; Thos. C. Martin, of the U. S. Navy; E. R. Griswold, of Cleveland; S. A. Chase, of Boston; J. H. Lathrop and family, of Washington; J. S. Byington, of Memphis, and J. Shaw, of Kingston, are stopping at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Col. R. C. Barnes, of Boston; Adjt. N. N. Tyner, of Iowa; Capt. Boggs, U. S. N.; Capt. Alex. Strain, of Albany, and Major Z. K. Pangborn, U. S. A., are stopping at the Astor House.

Dr. G. T. Stevens, of the United States Army; Thomas S. White, of New-Orleans; A. W. Campbell, of Wheeling, Va.; A. T. Dennison, of Niagara Falls, and Geo. W. Cheesman, of Birmingham, Conn., are stopping at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Col. T. Lyle Dickey, of the United States Army, Tenn.; Col. Daniel Ullman, of the New-York Volunteers; A. English and lady, of Philadelphia; and H. Rockwell, of Gen. Buell's Staff, are stopping at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

T. D. McNair and lady, of the United States Navy; R. Anderson, of England; S. Frothingham, Jr., and E. D. Jeffries, of Boston, are stopping at the Brevoort House.

Capt. J. P. Paulding, of Peekskill, New-York, and Col. W. Jameson, of Ohio, are at the Lafarge House.

A. P. Minthert and family, of Paris, and G. Meyar, of Mantanzas, are at the New-York Hotel.

Dr. J. P. Gilbert, of the United States Navy, is a guest at the International Hotel.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

PERSONAL.—Lord ERNEST VANE TEMPEST, better known as Capt. CHARLES STEWART, will leave today *en route* for home. Capt. STEWART has been in the United States service since the opening of the war. When Gen. STONE was appointed to his command Capt. STEWART was made his Adjutant-General, in which capacity he discharged with credit the onerous duties assigned him. His conduct at the battle of Ball's Bluff merited and received the personal thanks of Gen. MCCLELLAN, then Commander-in-Chief. At the time of Gen. STONE's removal, believing that officer to be unjustly dealt with, and unwilling to serve under another, he resigned his commission, and although tendered the Colonelcy of one of our finest infantry regiments, declined continuing in the service.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.—A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held to-day (Tuesday,) at 1 o'clock, to consider what action, if any, shall be taken by the Chamber, in consequence of the burning at sea by the steamer *Alabama* of the ship *Brilliant* and other vessels.

CORONERS' INQUESTS.—Coroner BARNEY held an inquest yesterday upon the body of an unknown man, about 55 years of age, who was found in the water at Pier No. 32, East River. He is about 5 feet 6 inches in height, slender built, had thin gray hair, a Roman nose, and was dressed in a black frock coat, black ribbed pants, fine gray checked vest, white muslin shirt and heavy brogans. He had been in the water two or three days.... The same Coroner held an inquest upon ANDREW O. DUNN, aged 3 years, who died at No. 210 Centre-street, from injuries accidentally received by falling from a railing of the second story to the sidewalk on Saturday last.... A small boy, named JAMES MCCUE, was burned to death on Sunday night, while playing with matches at the residence of his parents, in Fifteenth-street. His father is in the army, and his mother was intoxicated at a neighbor's house.

PRIZE FIGHT.—Another of those disgusting affairs, of which, recently, we have had but few—a prize-fight—took place yesterday morning, on Long Island, between ELI WALKER and BILLY SMITH, *alias* "Smoothy." There was a large gathering—at least, 150—of the "old sports" of the City, and the greatest interest was manifested in the result. SMITH was the favorite with odds. WALKER was the lighter man of the two, weighing about 120 pounds; Smith holding on to 135. Ninety rounds were fought, the time being 2 hours and 12 minutes, and SMITH came off winner. The fight was well contested; and the Police were considerate enough not to interfere, although the scene took place within the Police limits.

FIRE AT MILITARY HALL.—The building No. 192 Bowery, known as Military Hall, and occupied by CHAS. J. HARGRAVE as a ball-room, bar and drill-room, took fire about 4½ o'clock last evening, damaging the stock and furniture $2,000. The fourth story of the building was occupied by the Allegheny Lodge, and the basement by WILLIAM WOLF, trunk manufacturer. Mr. WOLF's damage was trifling. He is insured in $600 in the Citizens' Insurance Company. The building is owned by Mr. PUDDIG, and was damaged $2,000—fully insured. The fire originated in a bedroom on the fourth floor of the building.

STRIKE OF THE LONGSHOREMEN.—The Longshoremen feeling dissatisfied at the low rate of twelve shillings paid to them, struck, yesterday, on both sides of the rivers, and thus delayed the work on vessels both loading and discharging. They claim that in consequence of the daily increasing prices of food, clothing, &c., their wages hereafter should be fourteen shillings. Thus far, only a few small rows have occurred, but the police stopped them in time.

WADSWORTH MEETING.—CHARLES B. SEDGWICK, member of Congress from the Onondaga district, will speak to-night at the Republican Central Committee Rooms, at the corner of Broadway and Twenty-third street, at the Wadsworth ratification meeting. Loyal men and women desirous to hear an eloquent champion of Freedom and the Union will find this a rare opportunity.

NOTICE TO ENGINEERS.—A Board of Naval Engineers has assembled at the Brooklyn Navy-yard to examine candidates for promotion in and admission to the W. I. Naval Corps of Engineers. In a few days, they will probably be prepared to accept applicants without the permission of Secretary WELLES. Naval Engineers are booked on the list of permanent naval officers, and will always be needed.

FIRE IN A GROCERY.—At a late hour on Sunday night, a fire occurred in the two-story brick building No. 147 Delancey-street, owned by JAMES SULLIVAN, and occupied by SCHERMERS & STARR as a grocery store. The damage to the stock and fixtures was about $1,200, fully insured in the New-Amsterdam Insurance Company.

FIRE AT THE BROADWAY BANK BUILDING.—The roof of the Broadway Bank building, situated at the corner of Broadway and Park-place, took fire yesterday afternoon from some unknown cause. Damage, $300; insured.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

BROOKLYN COMMON COUNCIL—THE DRAFT—$150,000 APPROPRIATED FOR BOUNTIES—THE RESIGNATION OF ALDERMAN WOOD, &c., &c.—The Brooklyn Board of Aldermen held a regular meeting last night—Alderman STRONG in the Chair. Barely a quorum was present, and very little routine business was transacted.

Alderman WALLACE presented the resignation of Col. ALFRED M. WOOD, as Alderman of the First Ward, which was accepted, and the following resolutions by Alderman FISHER, were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Board do hereby tender to ALFRED M. WOOD their sincere acknowledgments of the uniform dignity and courtesy which have marked his official intercourse with the Board as its President.

Resolved, That this Board recognize and appreciate the honor which its late President has conferred on this Board by his patriotic efforts and sacrifices, and that their best wishes will follow him in his new sphere of labor.

Alderman WALLACE submitted the following preamble and resolutions in relation to the enlistment of volunteers:

Whereas, The Governor has definitely fixed the 10th day of November next for a draft in this State to fill up our quota of troops ordered by the President; and,

Whereas, This city is understood to be short about one thousand nine months' men, which it is extremely desirable to make up by volunteers; therefore,

Resolved, That the Mayor, Comptroller and Treasurer are hereby authorized to borrow on the credit of the city $100,000 (or so much thereof as may be deemed necessary), for the purpose of paying a bounty to men who may enlist to make up the aforesaid deficiency, and issue certificates of indebtedness therefor, bearing interest, to be paid when money shall be in the Treasury applicable to that purpose.

Resolved, That the Board of Contracts be authorized to pay from the fund thus created, the sum of $100 to each Brooklyn man who shall enlist as a private and be mustered into the service of the United States on or before the 10th of November next, in any regiment organized under authority of the State of New-York.

Alderman WALLACE, in supporting the resolutions, stated that the County now gave a bounty of $40, and that the Wards would raise sufficient to insure to each recruit the sum of $200, if the sum asked for from the city would now be appropriated.

Alderman MURPHY moved an amendment that the sum to be appropriated for bounties be f